GREATBATCH, INC. Form 8-K July 05, 2006

U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 or 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) June 30, 2006

GREATBATCH, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-16137 (Commission File Number) 16-1531026 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

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9645 Wehrle Drive, Clarence, New York

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (716) 759-5600

Not Applicable

[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425).

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

On June 30, 2006, Greatbatch, Inc. (the Company) entered into an amended and restated employment agreement with Mr. Edward F. Voboril, its Chairman and Chief Executive Officer. The amended and restated agreement extends his term of employment through January 31, 2008, along with modifying other provisions of the current employment agreement.

The Company intends to file a copy of the agreement with its Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the fiscal quarter ended June 30, 2006.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: June 30, 2006 GREATBATCH, INC.

By: /s/ Thomas J. Mazza
Senior Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer