

LIBERTY CORP  
Form 8-K  
August 02, 2005

UNITED STATES  
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) August 2, 2005

**The Liberty Corporation**

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

South Carolina

1-5846

57-0507055

(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

135 South Main Street, Greenville, SC

29601

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (864) 241-5400  
n/a

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure**

The following information is furnished pursuant to Item 7.01, Regulation FD Disclosure.

On August 2, 2005 The Liberty Corporation issued a press release announcing the board of directors declared a regular quarterly dividend of \$.25 per share on its common stock. The dividend is payable on October 4, 2005, to shareholders of record on September 15, 2005.

A copy of that press release is attached as Exhibit 99 (herein incorporated by reference).

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

99. Press release, dated August 2, 2005, issued by The Liberty Corporation

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

THE LIBERTY CORPORATION

August 2, 2005

By: /s/ Martha Williams

Name: Martha Williams  
Title: Vice President and General  
Counsel