

GENERAL CABLE CORP /DE/  
Form 8-K  
February 16, 2007

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K**

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 of 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

**Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): February 14, 2007**

**General Cable Corporation**

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

001-12983  
(Commission File Number)

06-1398235  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**4 Tesseneer Drive, Highland Heights, Kentucky 41076-9753**

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(859) 572-8000**

Not Applicable

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Former name or former address, if changed since last report

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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

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**Item 5.02(e)**

**Compensation Arrangements of Certain Officers**

1.

**Salary Adjustment for President and Chief Executive Officer**

On February 14, 2007, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors approved an increase in the salary of Gregory B. Kenny, President and Chief Executive Officer, of \$50,000, which increases his salary to \$750,000, effective as of January 1, 2007.

2.

**Salary Adjustment for Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary**

On February 14, 2007, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors approved an increase in the salary of Robert J. Siverd, Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary, of \$15,690, which increases his salary to \$364,366, effective as of January 1, 2007.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

**General Cable Corporation**

**February 16, 2007**

**By:**

**/s/ Robert J. Siverd**

*Name:*

*Robert J. Siverd*

*Title:*

*Executive Vice President and*

*General Counsel*