

GENERAL CABLE CORP /DE/  
Form 8-K  
February 06, 2008

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): February 5, 2008**

**General Cable Corporation**

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(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**001-12983**  
(Commission File Number)

**06-1398235**  
(IRS 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**

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**Not Applicable**

(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:

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

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

**Item 5.02**

**Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

(e)

**Compensatory Arrangements for Certain Officers**

On February 5, 2008, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors approved salary adjustments to named executive officers as set forth in the table below.

Officer and Title	Salary Increase	Adjusted Base Salary
	\$	\$(1)
Gregory B. Kenny	75,000	825,000
President and Chief Executive Officer		
Brian J. Robinson (2)	60,000	315,000
Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer		
Robert J. Siverd	15,534	379,900
Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary		

(1)

Adjustments to base salaries are effective January 1, 2008 for Mr. Kenny and Mr. Robinson, and March 1, 2008 for Mr. Siverd.

(2)

Mr. Robinson's salary increase accompanies a promotion from Senior Vice President to Executive Vice President as described on Exhibit 99.1, which is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01**

**Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d)

**Exhibits**

99.1

Press Release dated February 5, 2008

**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 6, 2008

/s/ Robert J. Siverd

Robert J. Siverd

Executive Vice President,

General Counsel and Secretary

**INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

<b><u>Exhibit Number</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
99.1	Press Release dated February 5, 2008