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TOPPS CO INC  
Form 8-K  
October 05, 2005

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

October 5, 2005  
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

THE TOPPS COMPANY, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction of corporation)

001-15817  
(Commission File No.)

11-2849283  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

One Whitehall, New York, NY 10004  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

(212) 376-0300  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

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INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

Item 8.01 Other Event

On October 5, 2005, The Topps Company, Inc. (the "Registrant") announced that its Board of Directors has declared a regular quarterly cash dividend of \$0.04 per share, payable on November 1, 2005 to shareholders of record on October 18, 2005.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated October 5, 2005

SIGNATURE

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 Topps Company, Inc.  
Registrant

By: /s/ Catherine K. Jessup  
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Catherine K. Jessup  
Vice President-CFO & Treasurer

Date: October 5, 2005