

AMERICAN EAGLE OUTFITTERS INC  
Form 8-K  
January 30, 2007

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**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report**

(Date of earliest event reported)

**January 25, 2007**

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**AMERICAN EAGLE OUTFITTERS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State of incorporation)

**0-23760**  
(Commission File Number)

**13-2721761**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**150 Thorn Hill Drive**  
**Warrendale, Pennsylvania**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**15086-7528**  
(Zip Code)

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(724) 776-4857

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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))

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**ITEM 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

On January 25, 2007, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of American Eagle Outfitters, Inc. (the "Company") elected Alan Kane to serve as a Class III director effective immediately until the next Annual Meeting of Stockholders. Mr. Kane is independent and was appointed to the Compensation Committee. In connection with his election, the Board approved a stock grant to Mr. Kane for services to be performed as a non-employee director, for a number of shares equal in value to \$18,050, based on the closing value of the Company's stock on January 25, 2007, which was \$32.39, resulting in the issuance of 557 shares under the Company's 2005 Stock Award and Incentive Plan. Mr. Kane will be paid retainer amounts in accordance with the Company's director compensation policy, pro rata based on service dates.

**ITEM 8.01. Other Events**

On January 25, 2007, the Company issued a press release announcing the election of Alan Kane as a new member of its Board of Directors. A copy of this press release is attached hereto as exhibit 99.1.

**ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

99.1 Press Release dated January 25, 2007 announcing election of Alan Kane to Board of Directors

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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.

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EXHIBIT INDEX

| <u>Exhibit Number</u> | <u>Description</u>  |
|-----------------------|---|
| 99.1                  | Press Release dated January 25, 2007 announcing election of Alan Kane to Board of Directors |

\* Such Exhibit is being "furnished" (not filed) pursuant to Item 8.01 of the Current Report on Form 8-K.

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