



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) April 18, 2005

**VISTEON CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-15827

(Commission File Number)

38-3519512

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

One Village Center Drive, Van Buren Township, Michigan

(Address of principal executive offices)

48111

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (800)-VISTEON

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**SECTION 1 — REGISTRANT’S BUSINESS AND OPERATIONS**

**Item 1.02. Termination of a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On April 18, 2005, Visteon Corporation (the “Company”) terminated the “at-will” employment of James C. Orchard, Executive Vice President and President, North America of the Company, effective May 1, 2005. This termination entitles Mr. Orchard to certain severance benefits under the Visteon Executive Severance Plan (the “Severance Plan”). These benefits include a cash payment equal to \$635,000, the continuation of health and welfare benefits under COBRA for up to one year following his termination, the payment of the unexpended value of his flexible perquisites account, the provision of outplacement services for up to six months, the pro ration of restricted stock and restricted stock unit awards granted more than 180 days prior to date of termination, and the continued exercisability of vested stock options for up to one year following termination. Mr. Orchard and the Company are expected to enter into a release and waiver of claims agreement as required by the Severance Plan.

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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.

VISTEON CORPORATION

Date: April 20, 2005

By: /s/ James F. Palmer  
James F. Palmer  
Executive Vice President  
and Chief Financial Officer