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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): January 27, 2005

COTT CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

CANADA 000-19914 None

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

207 Queen s Quay West, Suite 340, Toronto, Ontario M5J 1A7

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (416) 203-3898

N/A

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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At a meeting of the Cott Corporation Board of Directors held on January 27, 2005, Andrew Prozes was elected to the Board, with effect from January 28, 2005. Mr. Prozes was also appointed to the Audit Committee of the Board, to replace Christine Magee (who will continue to be a member of the Human Resources and Compensation Committee of the Board).

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated January 31, 2005 announcing the appointment of Andrew Prozes to the Cott Corporation Board of Directors.

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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.

COTT CORPORATION

Date: February 1, 2005

By: /s/ Mark Halperin

Mark Halperin

Senior Vice President, General Counsel

and Secretary

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