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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): March 10, 2005

| | (Ex | act name of registrant as specified in char | rter) |
|------------------------------------|--|--|--------------------------------------|
| | Ohio | 0-850 | 34-6542451 |
| (5 | State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | Commission File Number | (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) |
| 127 Public Square, Cleveland, Ohio | | l, Ohio | 44114-1306 |
| | (Address of principal executive Registrant s | e offices) telephone number, including area code: (| (Zip Code) (216) 689-6300 |
| | * * * | Form 8-K filing is intended to simultane g provisions (see General Instruction A.2 | |
| [] | 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)) | | |

Section 8 Other Events

Item 8.01 Other Events

As previously reported, McDonald Investments Inc. (McDonald), a registered broker-dealer subsidiary of KeyCorp, received subpoenas and inquiries from various regulatory authorities, seeking documents and information as part of their investigations into trading activity involving the mutual fund, brokerage and annuity businesses. McDonald has responded to the various regulatory authorities. On February 22, 2005, McDonald submitted a Letter of Acceptance, Waiver and Consent (the AWC) to the National Association of Securities Dealers (NASD) under the terms of which it has agreed to accept a censure and pay a fine of \$275,000 in connection with the resolution of the NASD s investigation. In the AWC, McDonald consented, without admitting or denying the NASD s allegations, to the entry of findings that it had failed to establish, maintain and enforce a supervisory system and written procedures reasonably designed to prevent and detect improper market timing and late trading of mutual funds during specified periods. On March 10, 2005, the NASD s Office of Disciplinary Affairs accepted the AWC.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

KEYCORP

(Registrant)

Date: March 11, 2005 /s/ Lee Irving

By: Lee Irving
Executive Vice President
and Chief Accounting Officer

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