WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL LTD Form 8-K February 03, 2006

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): February 3, 2006

WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Bermuda 1-31339 98-0371344

(State of Incorporation) (Commission File No.) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

515 Post Oak Boulevard Suite 600 Houston, Texas

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

77027

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (713) 693-4000

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On February 3, 2006, we issued a news release announcing fourth quarter results for the period ended December 31, 2005. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

On February 3, 2006, following the news release and the filing of this Current Report on Form 8-K, we will hold a conference call at 10:00 a.m. eastern, 9:00 a.m. central, regarding the fourth quarter results. This scheduled conference call was previously announced on January 4, 2006 and will be available via real-time webcast. To access the call please contact the conference call operator at 800-901-5241, or 617-786-2963 for international calls, approximately 10 minutes prior to the scheduled start time, and ask for the Weatherford conference call. The passcode is Weatherford . A replay will be available until 5:00 p.m. central, February 10, 2006. The number for the replay is 888-286-8010, or 617-801-6888 for international calls; passcode 61350038. In addition, an enhanced webcast of the conference call and replay will be available through our website at http://www.weatherford.com. To access the conference call and replay, click on the Investor Relations link under Corporate and then click on the Enhanced Audio Webcast line.

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

On February 3, 2006, we issued a news release announcing fourth quarter results for the period ended December 31, 2005. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibit

(c) Exhibit

99.1 Press release dated February 3, 2006 announcing earnings for the quarter ended December 31, 2005.

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SIGNATURES

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.

WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL LTD.

Dated: February 3, 2006 /s/ Lisa W. Rodriguez

Lisa W. Rodriguez

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

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