

EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES
Form SC 13D/A
May 20, 2005

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 8)

Exide Technologies
(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

302051206
(CUSIP Number)

Sandell Asset Management Corp.

40 West 57th Street

26th Floor

New York, NY 10019

Attention : Michael Fischer, General Counsel

212-603-5700

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

May 17, 2005
(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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SCHEDULE 13D

CUSIP No 302051206

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
 Castlerigg Master Investments Ltd.

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) X (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS
 WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
 British Virgin Islands

NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES		0
BENEFICIALLY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED		0
BY EACH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
REPORT-ING		0
PERSON	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
WITH		0

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
 0

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
 0%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
 CO

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 Sandell Asset Management Corp.

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NUMBER OF 7 SOLE VOTING POWER
 SHARES 0

BENEFICIALLY 8 SHARED VOTING POWER
 OWNED 0

BY EACH 9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
 REPORT-ING 0

PERSON 10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
 WITH 0

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14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
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Castlerigg International Limited

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Castlerigg International Holdings Limited

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