GENERAL ELECTRIC CO Form 8-K December 09, 2005

# **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) December 6, 2005 **General Electric Company** (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) 1-35 14-0689340

**New York** (State or other jurisdiction

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer

of incorporation)

**Identification No.)** 

3135 Easton Turnpike, Fairfield, Connecticut (Address of principal executive offices)

06828-0001 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (203) 373-2211

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#### Item 8.01. Other Events.

On December 6, 2005, General Electric Company ( GE ) entered into an Underwriting Agreement with J.P. Morgan Securities Inc., for the issuance and sale by GE of \$1,500,000,000 aggregate principal amount of LIBOR Floating Rate Notes due 2008 (the Notes ). The Notes were registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, pursuant to a shelf registration statement (Registration Statement No. 333-130117).

### **Exhibit Index**

- 1 Underwriting Agreement, dated December 6, 2005, between GE and J.P. Morgan Securities Inc.
- 4(a) Indenture, dated December 1, 2005 between GE and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.
- 4(b) Form of Note.
- 5 Opinion of Ning Chiu, Corporate and Securities Counsel of GE.

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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.

General Electric Company (Registrant)

Date: December 9, 2005

/s/ Philip D. Ameen

Philip D. Ameen Vice President and Comptroller

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