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ANTHRACITE CAPITAL INC  
Form 8-K  
September 14, 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)  
September 14, 2005 (September 13, 2005)

Anthracite Capital, Inc.

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland

001-13937

13-397-8906

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(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

40 East 52nd Street, New York, New York

10022

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (212) 810-3333  
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N/A

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

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.

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(b) On September 13, 2005, at a regular meeting of its Board of Directors, Anthracite Capital, Inc. (the "Company" or "Anthracite") accepted the resignation of Laurence D. Fink, previously Chairman of its Board of Directors. Mr. Fink submitted his resignation from the Board due to increased time commitments associated with managing BlackRock, Inc.'s continued growth. Ralph L. Schlosstein, who has served on the Company's Board of Directors since 2003, was appointed to serve as Chairman in Mr. Fink's place. Additionally, the Board of Directors appointed Scott M. Amero to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Fink's resignation.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

ANTHRACITE CAPITAL, INC.

By: /s/ James J. Lillis

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Name: James J. Lillis  
Title: Chief Financial Officer

Dated: September 14, 2005