EXTENDICARE INC /CAN/ Form 6-K December 15, 2005

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For December 15, 2005

EXTENDICARE INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

3000 Steeles Avenue East Markham, Ontario, Canada L3R 9W2 (Address of principal executive offices)

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number	Description of Exhibit
99.1	News Release: Extendicare Inc. Declares Common and Preferred Share Dividend Payments - TSX: EXE.MV, EXE.SV, EXE.PR.B, EXE.PR.C, EXE.PR.D and EXE.PR.E

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

EXTENDICARE INC.

Date: December 15, 2005 By: /s/ Richard L. Bertrand

Richard L. Bertrand Senior Vice-President and Chief Financial Officer