

USG CORP  
Form 8-A12B  
December 21, 2006

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-A  
FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF  
SECURITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR 12(g) OF  
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934  
USG CORPORATION  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)**

Delaware 36-3329400

(State of Incorporation or Organization) (I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

125 South Franklin Street, Chicago, Illinois 60606-4678

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(c), please check the following box.

Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates: \_\_\_\_\_  
(If applicable)

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective Pursuant to General Instruction A.(d), please check the following box.

Title of Each Class  
to be so Registered

Name of Each Exchange on Which  
Each Class is to be Registered

Preferred Stock Purchase Rights

New York Stock Exchange

Preferred Stock Purchase Rights

Chicago Stock Exchange

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:  
N/A

(Title of class)

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**Item 1. Description of Registrant's Securities to be Registered.**

On December 21, 2006, the Board of Directors of USG Corporation (the Company) declared a dividend distribution of one right (a Right) for each share of common stock, par value \$0.10 per share (the Common Shares), of the Company outstanding at the close of business on January 2, 2007 (the Record Date), pursuant to the terms of the Rights Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2006 (the Rights Agreement), by and between the Company and Computershare Investor Services, LLC, as Rights Agent. The Rights Agreement also provides, subject to specified exceptions and limitations, that Common Shares issued or delivered from the Company's treasury after the Record Date will be entitled to and accompanied by Rights. The Rights are in all respects subject to and governed by the provisions of the Rights Agreement, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 4.1 hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.

**Item 2. Exhibits.**

Exhibit

Number Exhibit

4.1 Rights Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2006

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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

USG CORPORATION

By: /s/ Stanley L. Ferguson

Name: Stanley L. Ferguson  
Title: Executive Vice President and  
General Counsel

Date: December 21, 2006

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