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): February 14, 2007

GULF ISLAND FABRICATION, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Louisiana (State or other jurisdiction (Commission of incorporation)

0-22303 File Number)

72-1147390 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

583 Thompson Road Houma, Louisiana 70363 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(985) 872-2100 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not applicable (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of Gulf Island Fabrication, Inc. (the "Company") on February 14, 2007, Hugh J. Kelly, whose term as a director expires at this year's annual meeting of shareholders, announced that he has decided to retire and, therefore, would not stand for re-election as a director of the Company. Mr. Kelly will serve the remainder of his term.

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.

GULF ISLAND FABRICATION, INC.

/s/ Joseph P. Gallagher, III Joseph P. Gallagher, III Vice President - Finance,

Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer (Principal Financial Officer and Duly Authorized Officer)

Dated: February 20, 2007