### 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

December 11, 2006

(Date of earliest event reported)

# FLOW INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Washington (State or other (Commission (I.R.S. Employer jurisdiction of File Identification Number)

Number South, Kent, Washington 98032

(Address of principal executive offices, zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

(253) 850-3500

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### ITEM 8.01. Other Events

Flow International Corporation issued a press release announcing the appointment of Tom Johnson as Executive Vice President and General Manager of Flow Waterjet Asia.

### ITEM 9.01. Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated December 11, 2006.

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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.

Date: December 11, 2006 FLOW INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

By: /s/ John S. Leness John S. Leness

General Counsel and Secretary