OIL DRI CORPORATION OF AMERICA Form 8-K May 01, 2001

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

April 23, 2001 \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

Oil-Dri Corporation of America

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Delaware	0-8675	36-2048898
(State or other	(Commission	(IRS
jurisdiction of	File Number)	Employer
incorporation)		Identification

No.)

410 North Michigan Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60611

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

312-321-1515

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Registrant's telephone number

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ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

On April 23, 2001, the release attached as Exhibit 99 and incorporated herein by

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reference was issued, announcing that Oil-Dri Corporation of America ("Oil-Dri") had signed two new long-term supply contracts with A&M Products Manufacturing Company, a subsidiary of The Clorox Company. At that time the old long-term supply contract between Oil-Dri and Clorox was terminated and Oil-Dri received a termination fee.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits: The following documents are attached as exhibits to this report:

EXHIBIT

NUMBER	DESCRIPTION

99 Press Release, April 23, 2001

- 10(s)\* Memorandum of Agreement #1450 "Fresh Step"(TM) dated as
  of March 12, 2001 between A&M Products Manufacturing Company and
  Oil-Dri Corporation of America.
- 10(t)\* Memorandum of Agreement #1465 "Jonny Cat"(TM), dated as of April 18, 2001 between A&M Products Manufacturing Company and Oil-Dri Corporation of America.

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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.

OIL-DRI CORPORATION OF AMERICA

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By:/S/ DANIEL S. JAFFEE

Daniel S. Jaffee President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: May 1, 2001

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