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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of

the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of September, 2005 Commission File Number: 001-06439

SONY CORPORATION (Translation of registrant's name into English)

7-35 KITASHINAGAWA 6-CHOME, SHINAGAWA-KU, TOKYO, JAPAN

(Address of principal executive offices)

The registrant files annual reports under cover of Form 20-F.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F,

Form 20-F X

Form 40-F ___

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Yes No X

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12q3-2(b):82-____

SIGNATURE

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.

SONY CORPORATION (Registrant)

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By: /s/ Nobuyuki Oneda (Signature) Nobuyuki Oneda Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

Date: September 22, 2005

List of materials

Documents attached hereto:

i) Organizational Announcement and New Appointments

Sony Corporation 6-7-35 Kitashinagawa Shinagawa-ku Tokyo 141-0001

No. 05-051E Sep 22, 2005

Organizational Announcement and New Appointments

Tokyo, Japan - Effective October 1, the current Sony Corporation Network Companies will be reorganized into the following five Business Groups, two Units and one Division. Concurrently with this reorganization, two Development Groups will be newly established.

Organizational Changes (as of October 1st)

Newly established Business Group/Division/Development Group

- TV Business Group
- Video Business Group
- Digital Imaging Business Group
- Audio Business Group
- VAIO Business Division
- B&P Business Group
- Core Component Business Unit
- Semiconductor Business Unit
- Technology Development Group
- Display Device Development Group

Personnel Changes (as of October 1st)

Katsumi Ihara Scheduled to be
-Executive Deputy President, Business Group
Representative Corporate Currently NC P
Executive Officer- Network Company

Scheduled to be appointed as President of TV Business Group Currently NC President of Home Electronics Network Company (HENC)

Kiyoshi Nishitani -SVP, Corporate ExecutiveScheduled to be appointed as President of Video Business Group Currently Deputy President of HENC

Yutaka Nakagawa
-EVP,
Corporate Executive Officer-

Scheduled to be appointed as President of Digital Imaging Business Group/President of Audio Business Group

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Currently NC President of Personal Audio Visual Network Company (PAVNC)

Yoshihisa Ishida Scheduled to be appointed as Senior General

Manager of VAIO Business Division

Currently Senior General Manager of VAIO Business Division, Information Technology & Communications

Network Company (ITCNC)

Mitsuru Ohki

-EVP, Corporate Executive-

Scheduled to be appointed as President of B&P

Business Group

Currently NC President of Professional Solutions

Network Company (PSNC)

Akira Kubota

-EVP, Corporate Executive-

Scheduled to be appointed as President of Core

Component Business Unit

Currently NC President of Micro Systems Network

Company (MSNC)

Kenshi Manabe

-EVP, Corporate Executive-

Scheduled to be appointed as President of

Semiconductor Business Unit

Currently NC President of Semiconductor Solutions

Network Company (SSNC)

Keiji Kimura

-EVP,

Scheduled to be appointed as President of

Technology Development Group

Corporate Executive Officer - Concurrently in charge of Technology Strategies

Currently NC President of ITCNC

Ryoji Chubachi -President and Electronics CEO,

Representative Corporate

Executive Officer-

Scheduled to be appointed as President of Display

Device Development Group

(as of November 1st)

Hideki Komiyama Scheduled to be appointed as EVP, Corporate

Executive

In charge of Electronics Marketing, Senior General Manager of Global Marketing Division Concurrently President, Chief Operating Officer

of Sony Electronics Inc. (Currently Group Executive)

Shoji Nemoto Scheduled to be appointed as Group Executive,

Corporate VP of Sony Ericsson Mobile

Communications AB

(Currently SVP, Corporate Executive)

Hiroshi Yoshioka Scheduled to be appointed as SVP, Corporate

Executive,

President of Audio Business Group

(Currently Group Executive,

Corporate Vice President of Sony Ericsson Mobile

Communications AB)