UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER

PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 2008

METHANEX CORPORATION								
	(Registrant s name)							

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SUITE 1800, 200 BURRARD STREET, VANCOUVER, BC V6C 3M1 CANADA

(Address of principal executive offices)

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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 behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

METHANEX CORPORATION

Date: August 29, 2008 By: /s/ RANDY MILNER

Name: Randy Milner

Title: Senior Vice President, General

Counsel & Corporate Secretary

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August 29, 2008

METHANEX CORPORATION APPOINTS ROBERT KOSTELNIK TO ITS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Methanex Corporation is pleased to announce the appointment of Robert Kostelnik to its Board of Directors effective September 1st, 2008.

Mr. Kostelnik has been actively involved in the petrochemical industry for over 30 years. Bob began his career at Shell and has been with CITGO since 1992 where he held a number of senior positions including Vice President for Health, Safety, Security and Environment. Most recently he was Vice President of Refining with responsibility for all of CITGO s refining and lubricants businesses. Bob retired from CITGO in 2008 and now resides in Houston, Texas where he pursues a variety of business interests.

Methanex is a Vancouver-based, publicly traded company engaged in the worldwide production, distribution and marketing of methanol. Methanex shares are listed for trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange in Canada under the trading symbol MX, on the NASDAQ Global Market in the United States under the trading symbol MEOH and on the Foreign Securities Market of the Santiago Stock Exchange in Chile under the trading symbol Methanex. Methanex can be visited online at www.methanex.com.

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