

**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): **May 20, 2022**

KIRBY CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-7615
(Commission File
Number)

74-1884980
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

55 Waugh Drive, Suite 1000
Houston, Texas
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

77007
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(713) 435-1000**

Not Applicable
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock	KEX	New York Stock Exchange

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On May 20, 2022, Joseph H. Reniers resigned as President – Kirby Distribution & Services, Inc. to pursue other personal and professional interests. Kirby Corporation (the “Company”) has engaged a search firm to identify a candidate to fill the role vacated by Mr. Reniers. In connection with Mr. Reniers’ departure, the Company and Mr. Reniers expect to enter into a separation agreement and release pursuant to which the Company will agree to provide Mr. Reniers certain severance benefits, contingent upon his execution, delivery and non-revocation of a release of claims against the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates, and his compliance with certain covenants contained therein.

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.

KIRBY CORPORATION

Date: May 25, 2022

By: /s/ Raj Kumar

Raj Kumar
Executive Vice President
and Chief Financial Officer
