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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)

January 31, 2007

CITY HOLDING COMPANY (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Commission File Number: 0-17733

West Virginia

55-0169957

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

25 Gatewater Road, Cross Lanes, WV 25313

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code)

304-769-1100

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management

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

On January 31, 2007, City Holding Company ("the Company") issued a news release, attached as Exhibit 99.1, announcing election of John R. Elliot to its Board of Directors. Mr. Elliot is the owner and president of AMFM, Inc., which operates skilled nursing facilities throughout West Virginia.

Mr. Elliot's compensation for his service as a director will be consistent with that of the Registrant's other non-employee directors, as more fully described in the Registrant's definitive proxy statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 24, 2006 and the Registrant's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2005.

City National Bank of West Virginia, a Company affiliate, also elected Mr. Elliot to its Board of Directors at their meeting held on January 31, 2007.

Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

99.1 News Release issued January 31, 2007

Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the Undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: February 1, 2007 City Holding Company

By: /s/ David L. Bumgarner David L. Bumgarner Chief Financial Officer