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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): September 26, 2006

#### **DENNY'S CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation or organization

0-18051 Commission File No. 13-3487402 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

## 203 East Main Street Spartanburg, South Carolina 29319-0001 (Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(864) 597-8000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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## Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets

On Tuesday, September 26, 2006, Denny's Inc. and Denny's Realty, LLC, affiliated entities of Denny's Corporation ("Denny's"), completed and closed the previously announced transaction to sell to National Retail Properties, Inc. (NYSE:NNN), a real estate investment trust, certain of its franchisee-operated Denny's restaurant properties. A total of 60 properties were included in the closing, for a cash purchase price of approximately \$62 million. The sale of up to an additional 6 properties may hereafter close, subject to certain conditions, under the terms of the master purchase agreement for the transaction, a copy of which, along with the Company's press release announcing the closing, is attached as an exhibit to this Form 8-K.

## Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

\* Exhibit 2.1 -- Master Purchase Agreement and Escrow Instructions between Denny's, Inc., Denny's Realty, LLC and National Retail Properties, Inc. dated September 8, 2006

Exhibit 99.1 -- Press release issued by Denny's Corporation on September 28, 2006.

\* Attachments to this agreement have not been included with this exhibit, pursuant to the provisions of Item 601(b)(2) of Regulation S-K, but will be furnished supplementally to the Commission upon its request.

## 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.

D e n n y ' s Corporation

Date: September 28, 2006

/s/F. Mark Wolfinger F. Mark Wolfinger Senior Vice President and C h i e f Financial Officer