

GNC CORP  
Form 8-A12B  
July 27, 2006

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**  
**FORM 8-A**  
**FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES**  
**PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR (g) OF THE**  
**SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**  
**GNC CORPORATION**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State of incorporation or organization)

**72-1575170**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**300 Sixth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania**  
(Address of principal executive offices)  
Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

**15222**  
(Zip Code)

Title of each class  
to be so registered

Name of each exchange on which  
each class is to be registered

Common Stock \$0.01 par value

New York Stock Exchange

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(c), check the following box.

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(d), check the following box.

Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates: 333-134710

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

None

**Item 1. Description of Registrant's Securities to be Registered.**

Information with respect to the Registrant's Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, is incorporated herein by reference to the section captioned "Description of Capital Stock" in the prospectus included in the Registrant's registration statement on Form S-1 (Registration No. 333-134710), as amended (the "Registration Statement"), filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"). The Registration Statement was originally filed with the Commission on June 2, 2006 and amended on July 7, 2006 and may hereafter be amended. Any form of prospectus that constitutes part of the Registration Statement and is filed by the Registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 2. Exhibits.**

Under the Instructions as to Exhibits with respect to Form 8-A, no exhibits are required to be filed, because no other securities of the Registrant are registered on the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. and the securities registered hereby are not being registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act.

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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

GNC Corporation

Date: July 27, 2006

By: /s/ Joseph Fortunato  
Joseph Fortunato  
President and Chief Executive Officer