STAGE STORES INC Form 10-Q/A November 04, 2005

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

### Form 10-Q/A

(Mark One)

**ÞQUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934** 

For the quarterly period ended July 30, 2005

OR

"TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_ to

Commission file number 1-14035

#### Stage Stores, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

NEVADA

91-1826900

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

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

10201 Main Street, Houston, Texas

77025

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(800) 579-2302

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes b No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an accelerated filer (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes b No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.). Yes o No b

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# APPLICABLE ONLY TO REGISTRANTS INVOLVED IN BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS DURING THE PRECEDING FIVE YEARS:

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has filed all documents and reports required to be filed by Section 12, 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 subsequent to the distribution of securities under a plan confirmed by a court. Yes b No o

As of September 1, 2005, there were 27,342,464 shares of the registrant's common stock outstanding.

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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 its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

STAGE STORES, INC.

November 4, 2005 /s/ James R. Scarborough (Date) James R. Scarborough

Chief Executive Officer and President

(Principal Executive Officer)

November 4, 2005 /s/ Michael E. McCreery

(Date) Michael E. McCreery

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial

Officer and Corporate Secretary

(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)