

LINENS N THINGS INC
Form 8-K
July 26, 2005

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) July 26, 2005

LINENS N THINGS, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

1-12381

22-3463939

**(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)**

**(Commission
File Number)**

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

6 Brighton Road, Clifton, New Jersey

07015

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (973) 778-1300

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 Instructions A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- 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))

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

- 10.1 Form of Linens □n Things, Inc. New Hire Authorization Stock Option Agreement (performance).
- 10.2 Form of Linens □n Things, Inc. New Hire Authorization Restricted Stock Units Agreement.
- 10.3 Form of Linens □n Things, Inc. New Hire Authorization Stock Option Agreement.

SIGNATURE

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.

LINENS □N THINGS, INC.

Dated: July 26, 2005

By: /s/ Brian D. Silva

Name: Brian D. Silva
Title: Senior Vice President,
Human Resources, Administration and
Corporate Secretary

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