

H&E Equipment Services, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
November 13, 2007

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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):

November 8, 2007

H&E Equipment Services, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

000-51759

81-0553291

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

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

11100 Mead Road, Suite 200, Baton Rouge,  
Louisiana

70816

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(225) 298-5200

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



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**Item 2.03 Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.**

On November 7, 2007, H&E Equipment Services, Inc. (the "Company") amended its Second Amended and Restated Credit Agreement ("Amendment No. 1 to the Amended Credit Agreement"), by and among the Company, Great Northern Equipment, Inc., GNE Investments, Inc., H&E Finance Corp., H&E Equipment Services (California), LLC, H&E California Holdings, Inc., H&E Equipment Services (Mid-Atlantic), Inc., General Electric Capital Corporation, as Agent, and the "Lenders" (as defined therein) to allow for the Company's board of directors' approved share repurchase program, discussed below, subject to certain restrictions.

The foregoing description of the Amendment No. 1 to the Amended Credit Agreement does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the agreement. A copy of Amendment No. 1 to the Amended Credit Agreement is filed as Exhibit 10.1 to this Current Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On November 8, 2007, the Company issued a press release announcing that our board of directors has authorized a stock repurchase program of up to a total of \$100 million of the Company's outstanding common stock. The repurchase program is expected to continue until December 31, 2008 unless extended or shortened by the Board of Directors.

A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this current report on form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

10.1 Amendment No. 1 to the Second Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of November 7, 2007, by and among H&E Equipment Services, Inc., Great Northern Equipment, Inc., GNE Investments, Inc., H&E Finance Corp., H&E Equipment Services (California), LLC, H&E California Holdings, Inc., H&E Equipment Services (Mid-Atlantic), Inc., General Electric Capital Corporation, as Agent, and the lenders party thereto.

99.1 Press Release, dated November 8, 2007.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

H&E Equipment Services, Inc.

*November 13, 2007*

By: *Leslie S. Magee*

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*Name: Leslie S. Magee*

*Title: Chief Financial Officer*

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