UNITED RENTALS NORTH AMERICA INC

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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): May 7, 2008

UNITED RENTALS, INC. UNITED RENTALS (NORTH AMERICA), INC.

(Exact name of Registrants as Specified in their Charters)

Delaware Delaware

(States or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-14387 001-13663

(Commission file Numbers)

06-1522496 06-1493538 (IRS Employer Identification Nos.)

Five Greenwich Office Park, Greenwich, CT

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

06831 (Zip Code)

Registrants telephone number, including area code: (203) 622-3131

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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On May 7, 2008, United Rentals, Inc. (the Company) entered into a fully underwritten firm commitment letter with Bank of America, N.A., Banc of America Securities LLC, UBS Loan Finance LLC, UBS Securities LLC, Wachovia Capital Markets, LLC and Wachovia Bank, National Association, for the funding to United Rentals (North America), Inc. (URNA) and certain of its other subsidiaries of a new, \$1 billion, asset-based revolver loan facility (the Facility).

The Facility is intended to refinance the existing cash flow revolver, letter of credit facility, and term loan of URNA and such subsidiaries, a portion of which has a maturity in early 2009, and is also to be used for working capital and other corporate purposes. The Facility will be secured by substantially all of the Company s assets, other than its real property and accounts receivable. URNA s current \$300 million accounts receivable-backed facility will remain in place. The Facility is in the process of being syndicated to prospective other lenders, with the expectation that a definitive credit agreement for the Facility will be executed and drawn upon in June 2008.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized on this 9th day of May, 2008.

UNITED RENTALS, INC.

By: /s/ Roger E. Schwed

Name: Roger E. Schwed Title: General Counsel

UNITED RENTALS (NORTH AMERICA), INC.

By: /s/ Roger E. Schwed

Name: Roger E. Schwed Title: General Counsel

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