

BARNES GROUP INC
Form 8-K
June 26, 2006

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): June 23, 2006

BARNES GROUP INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-04801
(Commission File Number)

06-0247840
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

123 Main Street, Bristol, Connecticut
(Address of principal executive offices)

06011-0489
(Zip Code)

(860) 583-7070

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On June 23, 2006, Barnes Group Inc. (the Company) and its Swiss subsidiary, Barnes Group Switzerland GmbH, entered into an amended and restated revolving credit agreement (the Amended Credit Agreement) with seventeen participating banks. Bank of America, N.A. continues to act as Administrative Agent for the participating banks. The Amended Credit Agreement increases the total commitments from \$175,000,000 to \$400,000,000; adds seven new lenders; and permits the Borrowers to draw loans in currencies other than US dollars. As with the prior revolving credit agreement the Company s borrowing capacity is limited by various debt covenants in the agreement.

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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.

Dated: June 26, 2006

BARNES GROUP INC.
(Registrant)

By: /s/ William C. Denninger
William C. Denninger

Senior Vice President, Finance and Chief

Financial Officer

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