TUTOR PERINI Corp Form 8-K September 20, 2010

## 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): September 17, 2010

Tutor Perini Corporation (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Massachusetts
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

1-6314

04-1717070

(Commission file number)

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

15901 Olden Street, Sylmar, California 91342-1093 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (818) 362-8391

None (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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

Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

Amendment to Shareholders Agreement

On September 17, 2010, Tutor Perini Corporation (the "Company") and Ronald N. Tutor, as shareholder representative, entered into Amendment No. 1 (the "Amendment") to the Shareholders Agreement that they originally signed on April 2, 2008 (the "Shareholders Agreement"). The Amendment revises the transfer restrictions contained in Section 5(a) of the Shareholders Agreement to permit Ronald N. Tutor and certain trusts controlled by Ronald N. Tutor to freely transfer up to 40% (up from 30%) of the shares of Company common stock they received in the 2008 merger with Tutor-Saliba Corporation, so long as such transfer does not result in the transfer of shares of Company common stock equal to or greater than 15% of the total voting power of the Company's common stock to any third party or group of affiliate third parties.

The Amendment does not otherwise materially modify or alter the Shareholders Agreement.

The foregoing description of the Amendment does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Amendment, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 4.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

#### (d) Exhibits

4.1 Amendment No. 1 to the Shareholders Agreement, dated as of September 17, 2010, by and between Tutor Perini Corporation and Ronald N. Tutor, as shareholder representative.

#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be filed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Tutor Perini Corporation

Dated: September 20, 2010 By: /s/Kenneth R. Burk

Kenneth R. Burk

**Executive Vice President and Chief** 

Financial Officer