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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): June 29, 2005

LAYNE CHRISTENSEN COMPANY

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware33-4843248-0920712(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)(Commission File Number)(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1900 Shawnee Mission Parkway Mission Woods, Kansas 66205

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(913) 362-0510

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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SECTION 8 OTHER EVENTS

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS.

On June 29, 2005, Layne Christensen Company issued a press release announcing that it had signed a Letter of Intent to acquire the stock of Reynolds, Inc. A copy of the Press Release is attached as Exhibit 99.

SECTION 9 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(c) Exhibits.

99 Press Release issued by Layne Christensen Company, dated June 29, 2005.

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.

LAYNE CHRISTENSEN COMPANY

Date: June 29, 2005 By /s/ A. B. Schmitt

Name: Andrew B. Schmitt

Title: President and Chief Executive

Officer

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Description
Press Release
issued by Layne
Christensen
Company, dated
June 29, 2005.