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Form 8-K September 08, 2006

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 8, 2006

COLUMBUS MCKINNON CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

NEW YORK

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

0-27618 16-0547600

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON PARKWAY, AMHERST, NEW YORK 14228-1197

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number including area code: (716) 689-5400

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

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Item 2.01. COMPLETION OF ACQUISITION OR DISPOSITION OF ASSETS.

On September 8, 2006, the registrant issued a press release announcing the sale of property in Forest City, Arkansas. A copy of the press release issued in connection with such action is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(d) Exhibits.

EXHIBIT NUMBER DESCRIPTION

99.1 Press Release dated September 8, 2006

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 thereunto duly authorized.

COLUMBUS McKINNON CORPORATION

By: /S/ KAREN L. HOWARD

Name: Karen L. Howard

Title: Vice President and Treasurer and

Chief Financial Officer
(Principal Financial Officer)

Dated: SEPTEMBER 8, 2006

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