MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES INC Form 8-K February 23, 2009

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):

February 17, 2009

MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

DELAWARE(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-6639 (Commission File Number) **58-1076937** (IRS Employer Identification No.)

55 NOD ROAD AVON, CONNECTICUT (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

06001 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (860) 507-1900

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):
o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02. DEPARTURE OF DIRECTORS OR CERTAIN OFFICERS; ELECTION OF DIRECTORS; APPOINTMENT OF CERTAIN OFFICERS; COMPENSATORY ARRANGEMENT OF CERTAIN OFFICERS.

(b)

On February 17, 2009, Steven Shulman, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Company, notified the Company of his resignation effective on February 25, 2009. In connection with his resignation from the board, the Company agreed to accelerate the vesting of 13,528 shares of Restricted Stock of the Company, with an original vesting date of May 20, 2009, issued to Mr. Shulman as part of his compensation for continued service on the board during 2008 pursuant to a certain Transition Agreement dated February 19, 2008.

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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.

MAGELLAN HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

Date: February 23, 2009 By: /s/ Jonathan N. Rubin

Name: Jonathan N. Rubin

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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