

OWENS & MINOR INC/VA/
Form 8-K
October 05, 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) October 5, 2006 (September 30, 2006)

OWENS & MINOR, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in charter)

Virginia
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

1-9810
(Commission file number)

54-1701843
(IRS employer

identification no.)

9120 Lockwood Blvd., Mechanicsville, Virginia
(Address of principal executive offices)

23116
(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (804) 723-7000

Not applicable

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

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 - .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Section 2 Financial Information

Item 2.01. Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

Effective September 30, 2006, Owens & Minor, Inc. (the Company) and Owens & Minor Distribution, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company (O&M Distribution), completed the acquisition of certain assets, including inventory and fixed assets, and the assumption of certain liabilities and contracts related to the acute-care medical and surgical supply distribution business (the Transaction) of McKesson Medical-Surgical Inc. (the Seller), a wholly owned subsidiary of McKesson Corporation (McKesson), for approximately \$165 million in cash (the Purchase Price). The Transaction was completed in accordance with the terms of the Asset Purchase and Sale Agreement, dated as of July 10, 2006 (the Purchase Agreement), among the Company, O&M Distribution, McKesson and the Seller.

The Purchase Agreement provides for an initial closing, which occurred on September 30, 2006, and several delayed closings to facilitate the transition of the acquired business and related facilities to O&M Distribution. At each of the delayed closings, the Purchase Price will be increased or decreased based on the Seller's actual inventory on hand at the time of each closing. Generally, in the event that the Seller's inventory at the time of the applicable closing exceeds the inventory used to calculate the Purchase Price, O&M Distribution will pay to the Seller an amount equal to such excess; in the event that the Seller's inventory at the time of such closing is less than the inventory used to calculate the Purchase Price, the Seller will pay to O&M Distribution an amount equal to such deficiency.

A copy of the Purchase Agreement is included as Exhibit 2.1 hereto and is incorporated herein by reference.

Section 8 Other Events

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On October 2, 2006, the Company issued a press release announcing the completion of the Transaction. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01. Financial Statement and Exhibits.

(a) *Financial Statements of Businesses Acquired.*

The financial statements required by this item shall be filed by amendment to this Current Report on Form 8-K within 71 calendar days after October 5, 2006, the date by which this Current Report must be filed.

(b) *Pro Forma Financial Information.*

The financial statements required by this item shall be filed by amendment to this Current Report on Form 8-K within 71 calendar days after October 5, 2006, the date by which this Current Report must be filed.

(c) *Exhibits.*

2.1 Asset Purchase and Sale Agreement, dated as of July 10, 2006, among Owens & Minor Distribution, Inc., Owens and Minor, Inc., McKesson Medical-Surgical Inc. and McKesson Corporation (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 1-9810) filed on July 14, 2006).

99.1 Press Release issued by the Company on October 2, 2006.

SIGNATURE

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.

Date: October 5, 2006

OWENS & MINOR, INC.

By: /s/ Grace R. den Hartog
Grace R. den Hartog
Senior Vice President, General Counsel
& Corporate Secretary

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