OMNI ENERGY SERVICES CORP Form 8-K October 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): October 21, 2009

OMNI ENERGY SERVICES CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

LOUISIANA (State or other jurisdiction

0-23383 (Commission 72-1395273 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

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4500 N.E. Evangeline Thruway

Carencro, Louisiana 70520

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(337) 896-6664

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

NOT APPLICABLE

(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:

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

Item 8.01. Other Matters.

On October 21, 2009, OMNI Energy Services Corp. (the Company) announced that it has been awarded a contract with a leading seismic data acquisition company to perform a major seismic drilling project in the Marcellus Shale geographic region. The contract is expected to generate approximately \$4 million in revenue. The Company anticipates that the contract will commence during the first quarter of 2010.

A copy of the press release announcing the contract is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference. The press release should be read in conjunction with the note regarding forward-looking statements, which is included in the text of the press release.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit
Number

Description

99.1

Press release dated October 21, 2009 issued by OMNI Energy Services Corp.

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.

OMNI ENERGY SERVICES CORP.

Dated: October 23, 2009

By: /s/ Ronald D. Mogel Ronald D. Mogel

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer