

**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: August 31, 2005
(Date of earliest event reported)

Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware
*(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)*

001-32108
(Commission File Number)

72-1375844
*(I.R.S. Employer
Identification Number)*

**103 Northpark Boulevard, Suite 300
Covington, LA**
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

70433
(Zip Code)

(985) 727-2000
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

N/A
(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):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 – Other Events

On August 31, 2005, the Company announced that it has experienced no damage to any of its vessels as a result of Hurricane Katrina, including those currently under construction or conversion in various Gulf of Mexico shipyards. In addition, the storm had no impact on the Company's vessel charters. The Company's new generation offshore supply vessel fleet continues to operate at pre-storm levels of 100% utilization. While it is premature to gauge the full extent or precise nature of the impact that the storm will have on the energy industry or on the Company's business and operations, historically, the Company has experienced an increase in demand for its offshore service vessels in the aftermath of storms of this nature.

The Company also announced that its executives have established temporary offices in The Woodlands, Texas, and provided relevant contact information.

A copy of the press release is attached.

Item 9.01 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release, dated August 31, 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 thereunto duly authorized.

Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc.

Date: August 31, 2005

By: /s/ James O. Harp, Jr.

James O. Harp, Jr.
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release, dated August 31, 2005



HORNBECK OFFSHORE SERVICES, INC.
Service with Energy

NEWS RELEASE
05-016

Contacts: Jim Harp, CFO
 Hornbeck Offshore Services
 Temporary: (281) 681-5943
 Ken Dennard, Managing Partner
 DRG&E / (713) 529-6600

For Immediate Release

**Hornbeck Offshore Reports No Vessel Damage or
 Lost Revenue From Hurricane Katrina**

Temporary Executive Offices Have Been Established

August 31, 2005 – The Woodlands, TX – Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc. (NYSE: HOS) announced today that it has experienced no damage to any of its vessels as a result of Hurricane Katrina, including those currently under construction or conversion in various Gulf of Mexico shipyards. In addition, the storm had no impact on the Company's vessel charters. The Company's new generation offshore supply vessel fleet continues to operate at pre-storm levels of 100% utilization.

Preliminary assessments indicate that no physical damage has occurred to the Company's corporate headquarters in Covington, LA; however, the surrounding area is currently without electrical power, Internet connectivity and telecommunications service. Pending reinstatement of operational utilities, Hornbeck executives have established temporary offices at the offices of the Company's legal counsel and can be reached during normal business hours at the following address and phone numbers:

Winstead Sechrest & Minick P.C.
 1450 Lake Robbins Drive, Suite 600
 The Woodlands, TX 77381
 (281) 681-5900 — Main Switchboard
 (281) 681-5901 — Facsimile
 (281) 681-5912 — Todd Hornbeck, CEO
 (281) 681.5940 — Carl Annessa, COO
 (281) 681-5943 — Jim Harp, CFO

103 Northpark Boulevard, Suite 300
 Covington, Louisiana 70433

Phone:(985) 727-2000
 Fax:(985) 727-2006

In addition, Hornbeck executives may be reached after-hours, and all other Hornbeck personnel can be reached anytime for customer or vendor inquiries, through Robin Morris at the Company's Brooklyn, NY office at (718) 625-0003.

Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc. is a leading provider of technologically advanced, new generation offshore supply vessels primarily in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico and select international markets, and is a leading transporter of petroleum products through its fleet of ocean-going tugs and tank barges, primarily in the northeastern U.S. and in Puerto Rico. Hornbeck Offshore currently owns and operates a fleet of over 50 U.S.-flagged vessels serving the energy industry.

Forward-Looking Statements

This news release contains forward-looking statements, including, in particular, statements about Hornbeck Offshore's plans and intentions. These have been based on the Company's current assumptions, expectations and projections about future events. Although the Company believes that the expectations reflected in these forward-looking statements are reasonable, the Company can give no assurance that the expectations will prove to be correct.

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