

UNITED RENTALS NORTH AMERICA INC  
Form 8-K  
December 23, 2010

**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): December 20, 2010**

**UNITED RENTALS, INC.**

**UNITED RENTALS (NORTH AMERICA), INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware  
Delaware**

**001-14387  
001-13663**

**06-1522496  
06-1493538**

(State or other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**Five Greenwich Office Park  
Greenwich, Connecticut**

**06831**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(203) 622-3131**

(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 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.**

On December 20, 2010, the Board of Directors of United Rentals, Inc. (the Corporation ) approved an amendment to the Corporation s By-laws, effective immediately, to add a new Section 5.05 that provides that, unless the Corporation consents in writing to the selection of an alternative forum, the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware shall be the sole and exclusive forum for (i) any derivative action or proceeding brought on behalf of the Corporation, (ii) any action asserting a claim of breach of a fiduciary duty owed by any director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation to the Corporation or the Corporation s stockholders, (iii) any action asserting a claim relating to the Corporation arising pursuant to any provision of the Delaware General Corporation Law or the Corporation s certificate of incorporation or By-laws or (iv) any action asserting a claim relating to the Corporation governed by the internal affairs doctrine.

The amended By-laws of the Corporation reflecting this amendment are filed as Exhibit 3.1 to this report.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

3.1 By-laws of United Rentals, Inc., as amended.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: December 23, 2010

UNITED RENTALS, INC.

By: /s/ Jonathan M. Gottsegen

Name: Jonathan M. Gottsegen

Title: Senior Vice President, General  
Counsel and Corporate Secretary

UNITED RENTALS (NORTH AMERICA), INC.

By: /s/ Jonathan M. Gottsegen

Name: Jonathan M. Gottsegen

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

| <b>Exhibit<br/>No.</b> | <b>Description</b>                           |
|------------------------|--|
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