

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

March 17, 2009 (February 25, 2009)
Date of Report (date of Earliest Event Reported)

HUDSON HOLDING CORPORATION
(Exact Name of Company as Specified in its Charter)

DELAWARE

(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation or Organization)

0-9587

(Commission File No.)

20-3766053

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

111 Town Square Place, Suite 1500A
Jersey City, New Jersey 07310
(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(201) 216-010
(Company's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed from 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):

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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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Forward-Looking Statements

Statements in this Current Report on Form 8-K (including the exhibits), including statements regarding Hudson's beliefs, expectations, intentions or strategies for the future, may be "forward-looking statements" under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. All forward-looking statements involve a number of risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from the plans, intentions and expectations reflected in or suggested by the forward-looking statements. Such risks and uncertainties include, among others, intensified competition, operating problems and their impact on revenues and profit margins, anticipated future business strategies and financial performance, anticipated future number of customers, business prospects, legislative developments and similar matters. Risk factors, cautionary statements and other conditions which could cause Hudson's actual results to differ from management's current expectations are contained in Hudson's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Hudson undertakes no obligation to update any forward-looking statement to reflect events or circumstances that may arise after the date of this filing.

ITEM 8.01 Other Events.

On February 25, 2009, Hudson Holding Corporation issued a press release entitled "Formation of Investment Banking and Research Division." A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

On March 16, 2009, Hudson Holding Corporation issued a press release entitled "Hudson Hires Institutional Sales Group." A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.2 to this Form 8-K.

On March 17, 2009, Hudson Holding Corporation issued a press release entitled "Hudson Appoints General Counsel." A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.3 to this Form 8-K.

ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

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SIGNATURES

In accordance with the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

HUDSON HOLDING CORPORATION

Date: March 17, 2009

/s/ Martin Cunningham

Martin Cunningham

Chairman of the Board of Directors, Chief Executive Officer

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Formation of Investment Banking and Research Division

JERSEY CITY, N.J., Feb. 25 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Hudson Holding Corporation (OTC Bulletin Board: HDHL - News), parent of Hudson Securities Inc., a registered broker-dealer that meets the liquidity needs of brokers, dealers, institutions, and asset managers, today announced the formation of a new investment banking and research unit that will offer a full range of corporate finance and capital market services as the Westminster Securities division of Hudson Securities Inc.

The 22 member team will be headed by NYSE member John P. O'Shea, and joins Hudson from Westminster Securities Corporation, a 35 year-old firm. The Westminster Securities division will provide a wide range of corporate finance services domestically and internationally such as investment banking, private placements of debt & equity, private placements in public equity (PIPEs), initial public offerings (IPOs), reverse mergers, special purpose acquisition companies (SPACs), underwriting & syndication, merger & acquisition, financial restructuring, advisory services and chaperoning for non U.S. Broker Dealers. The team specializes in pharmaceuticals, energy, alternative energy and natural resources.

The Westminster team has developed significant expertise in assisting Chinese companies tapping into the US capital markets. Over the last four years, the group has acted as placement agent and/or underwriter in 15 Chinese transactions raising over USD\$190 million for companies operating in China.

" We are extremely excited to be joining Hudson Securities, Inc. as the Investment Banking and Research Division," stated John P. O'Shea, head of the new unit. "By joining with Hudson, our clients will benefit from both the liquidity and broader service offering that a larger, state of the art organization can provide."

"Building a more diverse, broad based organization positions us to better serve the growing needs and demands of our clients," stated Hudson Holding Corporation, CEO Marty Cunningham. "We are thrilled to have John and his seasoned team leading this initiative at Hudson."

Hudson Holding Corporation is a publicly traded company on the OTC Bulletin Board under the symbol "HDHL" and the parent of Hudson Securities, Inc. and Hudson Technologies, Inc. Hudson Securities Inc. is dedicated to meeting the liquidity needs of its clients; institutions, hedge funds, asset managers, and broker dealers, by providing execution solutions and making markets in over 14,000 US and foreign securities and ADRs. As a registered broker-dealer under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Hudson Securities, Inc. is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA") and has been in business since 1984. Hudson Technologies, Inc. provides technology services to Hudson Securities, Inc. and client companies.

If you would like more information about this topic, or to schedule an interview with Martin Cunningham, CEO, Hudson Holding Corporation, please contact Farisha Mohammed at 201-680-7389 or email fmohammed@hudsonsecurities.com.

This press release does not constitute an offer to sell, or the solicitation of an offer to buy, any securities, nor shall there be any sale of the securities in any jurisdiction in which such offering would be unlawful.

Certain statements contained herein constitute "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements are based on current expectations, estimates and projections about the Company's industry, management's beliefs and certain assumptions made by management. Readers are cautioned that any such forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and are subject to certain risks, uncertainties and assumptions that are difficult to predict. Because such statements involve risks and uncertainties, the actual results and performance of the Company may differ materially from the results expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Given these uncertainties, readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on such forward-looking statements. Unless otherwise required by law, the Company also disclaims any obligation to update its view of any such risks or uncertainties or to announce publicly the result of any revisions to the forward-looking statements made here; however, readers should review carefully reports or documents the Company files periodically with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Hudson Hires Institutional Sales Group

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The team joining Hudson represents the major share of individuals who comprised the institutional brokerage services unit at Schonfeld. The group services over 150 active accounts.

“Adding meaningful value to our clients’ agency execution experience is the message that drives our Institutional business today” said Marty Cunningham CEO of Hudson Securities. “This talented group of service-driven professionals adds relevant strength to our current platform, and underscores our intent to be the “destination of choice” for clients who demand a standard of excellence.”

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Mr. Lewin has been employed as a corporate and securities attorney and investment banker for over twenty years. Prior to joining Hudson, Mr. Lewin served as chief legal officer of Newtek Business Services, Inc. (NASDAQ NEWT). Mr. Lewin also worked in venture capital and investment banking, and was a Senior Vice President of First Albany Corporation and a senior technology investment banker in the New York office. Early in his career, he practiced law at major Wall Street law firms specializing in representing broker dealers, emerging growth companies, funds, and financial institutions. Mr. Lewin is a member of the New York Bar and an alumnus of the Columbia University School of Law.

"I am excited to be joining a growing Company and look forward to helping Hudson in its core business and newer initiatives," said Mr. Lewin. "We look forward to drawing on Andy's deep level of legal and business expertise so that we can best meet our clients growing needs and the demands of our business," stated Hudson Holding Corp. CEO, Martin Cunningham. "We are delighted to have an individual of such caliber join our firm."

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