EXPEDITORS INTERNATIONAL OF WASHINGTON INC Form 8-K February 11, 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: February 10, 2010

(Date of earliest event reported)

EXPEDITORS INTERNATIONAL OF WASHINGTON, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Washington (State or other jurisdiction of

000-13468 (Commission File No.) 91-1069248 (IRS Employer

incorporation or organization)

Identification Number)

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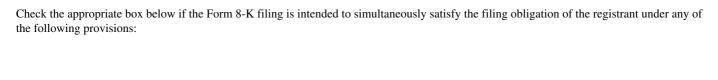
1015 Third Avenue, 12th Floor, Seattle, Washington (Address of principal executive offices) (206) 674-3400

98104 (Zip Code)

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

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



- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- "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))

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On February 10, 2010, Expeditors International and its Hong Kong subsidiary, Expeditors Hong Kong Ltd. received a Statement of Objections from the European Commission. The press release issued February 10, 2010, is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) The following items are filed as exhibits to this report:

No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated February 10, 2010.

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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.

EXPEDITORS INTERNATIONAL OF WASHINGTON, INC.

February 11, 2010

/s/ Amy J. Tangeman
Amy J. Tangeman, Vice President-General
Counsel and Secretary