Houston Wire & Cable CO Form SC 13G/A February 17, 2009

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G/A

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

	(AMENDMENT NO.1) *					
	Houston Wire and Cable Company					
	(Name of Issuer)					
	Common Stock					
	(Title of Class of Securities)					
	44244K109					
	(CUSIP Number)					
	December 31, 2008					
	(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)					
Check t	the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this ed :	s Schedi	ıle			
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initia: for any	emainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting I filing on this form with respect to the subject class of secur y subsequent amendment containing information which would alter sures provided in a prior cover page.	rities,				
to be '	formation required in the remainder of this cover page shall not "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange "Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section call be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see .	e Act of of the A	E			
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS. I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY).					
	River Road Asset Management, LLC	13-20769	925			
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*	(b)	[_]			
3	SEC USE ONLY					

4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

	Delaware					
	NAMES OF	5	SOLE VOTING POWER			
			1,405,072			
SHA BENEFI OWNE EA REPOR PERS		6	SHARED VOTING POWER			
	BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH		-			
	REPORTING	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER			
	WITH		1,724,962			
		8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER			
			-			
9	AGGREGATE AMO	OUNT BI	ENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON			
	1,724,962					
10	CHECK BOX IF	THE A	GGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*			
11	PERCENT OF C	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9				
	9.8%					
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*					
	IA					

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- Item 2(b) Address of the Principal Office or, if none, Residence:
 462 S. 4th St., Suite 1600
 Louisville, KY 40202

- Item 2(e) CUSIP Number: 44244K109

- - (e) [X] An investment advisor in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E)

Item 4 Ownership:

- (a) Amount Beneficially Owned: 1,724,962
- (b) Percent of Class: 9.8%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
- (i) sole power to vote or direct the vote: 1,405,072
- (ii) shared power to vote or direct the vote: -
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct
 the disposition of:

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- Item 5 Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class: If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [].

- Item 9 Notice of Dissolution of a Group:
 Not applicable.

Item 10 Certification:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 12, 2009

Date

/s/ Thomas D. Mueller

Signature

Thomas D. Mueller, COO, CCO

Name/Title

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