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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 Papart (Date of parlicet event reported)

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

April 12, 2007 814-00127

(Commission File Number)

BRANTLEY CAPITAL CORPORATION.

(the Fund)

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

MARYLAND, 34-1838462

(Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (IRS Employer Identification Number)

287 Bowman Avenue 2nd Floor Purchase, NY 10577

(Address of registrant s principal executive office) (914) 510-9385 (Registrant s telephone number)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- o 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.

Brantley Capital Corporation (OTC: BBDC) today announced at the Special Meeting of the Shareholders the proposal to sell substantially all of the Fund s investment assets and the Plan of Liquidation and Dissolution was approved as reflected in a News Release issued April 11, 2007.

This summary does not purport to be complete and is subject to and qualified in its entirety by reference to the text of the News Release, included as Exhibit 99.1 to this filing. Exhibit 99.1 is incorporated by reference into this Item 8.01. **Item 9.01 Exhibits.**

- (a) Financial statements of businesses acquired. Not applicable.
- (b) Pro forma financial information Not applicable.
- (c) Exhibits 99.1 Press Release dated April 11, 2007.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: April 12, 2007 BRANTLEY CAPITAL CORPORATION

By: /s/ Phillip Goldstein Phillip Goldstein Chairman of the Board