AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING INC Form 8-K July 09, 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): July 9, 2010

AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 1-5397 (Commission File Number) 22-1467904 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

One ADP Boulevard, Roseland, New Jersey (Address of principal executive offices) 07068 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (973) 974-5000

N/A

(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))

Item 8.01.

Other Events.

On July 9, 2010 the Registrant issued a press release announcing the Registrant's agreement to acquire Cobalt Holding Company, Inc. A copy of the Registrant's press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99 and is hereby incorporated by reference.

Item 9.01.	Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibit 99. Press release dated July 9, 2010, issued by Automatic Data Processing, Inc.

SIGNATURE

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: July 9, 2010

AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING, INC.

By:

/s/ Michael A. Bonarti Name: Michael A. Bonarti Title: Vice President

Exhibit Index

Exhibit Number 99

r Description Press release dated July 9, 2010, issued by Automatic Data Processing, Inc.