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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20549**

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**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of March, 2005.

CNH GLOBAL N.V.

(Translation of Registrant's Name Into English)

**World Trade Center
Tower B, 10th Floor
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The Netherlands**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.)

Form 20-F ☒ Form 40-F ☐

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.)

Yes ☐ No ☒

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News Release

CNH and UAW Reach Proposed Settlement Agreement

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Lake Forest, Illinois (March 17, 2005) CNH America LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of CNH Global N.V. (NYSE:CNH), today announced that the company and the United Auto Workers have reached a proposed settlement agreement affecting approximately 650 workers in Burlington, Iowa, Racine, Wisconsin and two other locations.

CNH presented the agreement to the UAW Wednesday evening, and the union has agreed to take the company's proposal to its membership for a ratification vote this weekend.

We are glad that we have this proposed agreement with the UAW and look forward to a positive ratification vote this weekend so our employees can return to work, said Tom Graham, CNH lead negotiator.

Further details about the proposed agreement will not be released until the UAW presents the proposal to its members.

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Lake Forest, Illinois (March 19, 2005) CNH America LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of CNH Global N.V. (NYSE:CNH), announced that approximately 650 CNH employees represented by the United Auto Workers (UAW) will return to work following ratification of a settlement agreement today.

We are pleased that our UAW-represented employees ratified the contract and are returning to work, said Tom Graham, CNH lead negotiator. We believe the agreement is good for the company, our employees, our dealers and the communities in which we do business.

The UAW notified CNH of the positive ratification vote Saturday afternoon. Most UAW-represented employees are expected to be back at work Monday morning, and in any case no later than the end of the day Tuesday. Supervisors are contacting workers to let them know when to return.

The agreement affects CNH employees in Burlington, Iowa; Racine, Wisconsin; Burr Ridge, Illinois; and St. Paul, Minnesota.

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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.

CNH Global N.V.

By: /s/ Giovanni B. Ravina
Giovanni B. Ravina
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March 19, 2005