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June 11, 2009

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): June 5, 2009

Syms Corp

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| New Jersey | 001-8546 | 22-2465228 |
| ----- (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | ----- (Commission File Number) | ----- (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) |
| Syms Way, Secaucus, New Jersey | | 07094 |
| ----- (Address of principal executive offices) | | ----- (Zip Code) |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code
(201) 902-9600

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 1.01. Entry into a Definitive Material Agreement

On June 5, 2009, Syms Corp. ("Syms") entered into a Loan and Security Agreement (the "Credit Agreement") with Israel Discount Bank of New York (the "Lender"). Pursuant to the Credit Agreement, Syms has obtained a \$40,000,000 revolving credit facility (the "Credit Facility") from the Lender. The full amount of the Credit Facility is available for loans and there is a \$2,000,000 sublimit for standby and documentary letters of credit. The Credit Facility is secured by all personal property of Syms and requires a negative pledge on the real estate of Syms. Availability under the Credit Facility is based on a borrowing base consisting of certain inventory, credit card receivables and cash collateral. The Credit Facility will be available until December 4, 2010, subject to (i) automatic renewal for successive periods of one year and (ii) earlier termination if the Lender determines that the results of any field examination, appraisal, business evaluation or other business or legal due diligence review of Syms and its subsidiaries are not satisfactory to the Lender.

Loans outstanding up to \$16,000,000 ("Tranche B Loans") will bear interest at a rate per annum equal to, at Syms' option, (i) the Lender's Prime Rate or (ii) the sum of LIBOR (for interest periods of 2 or 3 months) plus 2.0%, provided, that, in no event shall the interest rate per annum for all Tranche B Loans be less than 3.25%. Loans outstanding in excess of \$16,000,000 ("Tranche A Loans") will bear interest at a rate per annum equal to, at Syms' option, (i) the sum of Lender's Prime Rate plus 2.0%, or the sum of LIBOR (for interest periods of 2 or 3 months) plus 4.0%, provided, that, in no event shall the interest rate per annum for all Tranche A Loans be less than 4.25%. Interest rates increase by 2.0% upon the occurrence of an event of default under the Credit Facility.

Syms is also required to pay certain fees to the Lender under the Credit Facility, including a standby letter of credit fee of 4.0% per annum on the average daily undrawn stated amount of each standby letter of credit and a documentary letter of credit fee equal to 0.25% of the full face amount of each documentary letter of credit, but not less than \$150.

The Credit Agreement contains representations and warranties, financial reporting requirements, affirmative and negative covenants and events of default customary for a credit facility of this size, type, and purpose.

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.

SYMS CORP

By: /s/ Philip A. Piscopo

Name: Philip A. Piscopo
Title: Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer

Dated: June 11, 2009

