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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 Report: November 13, 2006

Willis Lease Finance Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

0-28774 (Commission File Number)

68-0070656 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

2320 Marinship Way, Suite 300 Sausalito, California 94965 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (415) 275-5100

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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- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

The following information and exhibit are furnished pursuant to Item 2.02, Results of Operations and Financial Condition and Item 7.01, Regulation FD Disclosure . This information shall not be deemed filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

On November 13, 2006, the Company issued a Press Release setting forth the Company s results from operations for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2006 and financial condition as of September 30, 2006. A copy of the Press Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements & Exhibits

The Company hereby furnishes the following exhibit pursuant to Item 2.02, Results of Operations and Financial Condition and Item 7.01, Regulation FD Disclosure .

Exhibit

No. Description

99.1 Press Release issued November 13, 2006

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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.

Dated: November 13, 2006.

WILLIS LEASE FINANCE CORPORATION

By: /s/ Robert M. Warwick

Robert M. Warwick

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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