MERCURY AIR GROUP INC Form 8-K September 13, 2005

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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): September 7, 2005 **MERCURY AIR GROUP, INC.**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in Charter)

DELAWARE 1-7134 11-1800515

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(Commission File No.)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

5456 McConnell Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90066 (Address of Principal Executive Offices/Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (310) 827-2737

Not Applicable

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

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ITEM 1.01 ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT

On September 7, 2005, (the Closing Date) Mercury Air Group, Inc., along with its affiliates (the Company) and Bank of America, N.A. (the Bank) entered into an amended and restated loan and security agreement (the Credit Facility), which expires on September 6, 2007, or earlier under certain conditions, providing for cash advances up to the lesser of \$45,000,000 or the Borrowing Base, including a letter of credit subfacility not to exceed \$22,500,000. The Borrowing Base, as defined in the Credit Facility, will be determined monthly and is the sum of: (1) 85% of the Net Amount of Eligible Accounts, other than Accounts owing by the U.S. federal government, plus (2) 85% of the Net Amount of Eligible Foreign Accounts, but not to exceed \$6,000,000, minus (4) Reserves. Based upon the results of the Bank s pre-funding audit, the net revolver availability as of the Closing Date on the Credit Facility was approximately \$38,991,716. The Credit Facility will bear interest equal to either LIBOR plus 225 basis points, or the Bank s prime rate plus 50 basis points.

The Credit Facility contains certain financial covenants, among them a covenant which will require the Company to maintain, in the event Unused Availability is less than \$8,000,000, minimum Fixed Charge Coverage Ratios, as defined in the agreement. The Credit Facility also limits the amount the Company can expend during any fiscal year for (1) capital expenditures and (2) cash dividends and stock repurchases and limits the amount of additional debt the Company can incur for transactions not considered to be in the ordinary course of the Company s business. The Credit Facility is secured by substantially all of the Company s assets.

On September 9, 2005, the Company issued a press release announcing the opening of the Credit Facility. The press release is incorporated herein to this Form 8-K by reference and a copy of this press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

- (c) Exhibits.
 - 10.1 Amended and Restated Loan and Security Agreement dated as of September 7, 2005 by and among Bank of America N.A., Mercury Air Group, Inc. and certain of its subsidiaries.
 - 99.1 Press Release of Mercury Air Group, Inc., dated September 9, 2005.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: September 9, 2005 MERCURY AIR GROUP, INC.

By: /s/ Kent Rosenthal Kent Rosenthal

Vice President of Finance and Chief

Financial Officer

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