
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: September 19, 2003

(Date of earliest event reported)

Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

333-69286

(Commission File Number)

72-1375844

(I.R.S. Employer
Identification Number)

**103 Northpark Blvd., Suite 300
Covington, LA**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

70433

(Zip Code)

(985) 727-2000

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

**414 North Causeway Blvd.
Mandeville, LA 70448**

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

Item 5 – Other Events

On September 22, 2003, Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc. (the “Company”) announced that it filed a registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission relating to a proposed initial public offering of its common stock. Additional information is included in the Company’s press release dated September 22, 2003, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 7 – Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits:

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release dated September 22, 2003.

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.

Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc.

Date: September 23, 2003

By: /s/ JAMES O. HARP, JR.

James O. Harp, Jr.
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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—NEWS RELEASE—

To: **Business Wire, Daily Papers, Trade Press,
Financial and Securities Analysts**

For: Immediate Release

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Hornbeck Offshore Announces Filing of Registration Statement for IPO

New Orleans, Louisiana — (BUSINESS WIRE) — September 22, 2003. Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc. announced today that it has filed a registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission relating to a proposed initial public offering of its common stock.

Hornbeck Offshore plans to use the net proceeds to the Company from the proposed offering to fund a portion of the costs of the construction of ocean-going, double-hulled tank barges, the retrofit of certain existing vessels, possible future acquisitions or additional new vessel construction, and for general corporate purposes.

The underwriting group will be co-led by Goldman, Sachs & Co. and Jefferies & Company, Inc., with Goldman Sachs & Co. acting as sole book-runner. Simmons & Company International and Johnson Rice & Company, L.L.C. will act as co-managers.

A registration statement relating to these securities has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission but has not yet been declared effective. These securities may not be sold, nor may offers to buy be accepted, prior to the time the registration statement becomes effective. This press release shall not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy, nor shall there be any sale of these securities in any state in which such offer, solicitation or sale would be unlawful prior to registration or qualification under the securities laws of any such state.

Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc. is a leading provider of technologically advanced, new generation offshore supply vessels in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico and select international markets, and is a leading transporter of petroleum products through its fleet of ocean-going tugs and tank barges in the northeastern U.S. and in Puerto Rico.

Forward-Looking Statements

This news release contains forward-looking statements, including, in particular, statements about Hornbeck Offshore's plans and intentions. These have been based on the Company's current assumptions, expectations and projections about future events. Although the Company believes that the expectations reflected in these forward-looking statements are reasonable, the Company can give no assurance that the expectations will prove to be correct.

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