

HORNBECK OFFSHORE SERVICES INC /LA  
Form 8-K  
September 06, 2012

**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: September 4, 2012**

**(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)**

**001-32108**  
**(Commission File Number)**

**72-1375844**  
**(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)**

**103 Northpark Boulevard, Suite 300**

**Covington, LA**  
**(Address of Principal Executive Offices)**  
**(985) 727-2000**

**70433**  
**(Zip Code)**

**(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)**

**N/A**

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

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Item 8.01 Other Events

On September 4, 2012, the Company announced, among other things, that it had exercised the first four of its 48 shipyard options for the construction of additional vessels under its previously announced OSV Newbuild Program #5 at an aggregate incremental cost of approximately \$180 million, excluding construction period interest, and the commencement of a retrofit program to stretch and upgrade six 200 class DP-1 OSVs into 240 class DP-2 OSVs at an estimated cost of approximately \$50 million.

A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release, dated September 4, 2012.

**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.

Date: September 6, 2012

Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc.

By: /s/ James O. Harp, Jr.  
James O. Harp, Jr.  
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial  
Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Exhibit Description</u>
99.1	Press Release, dated September 4, 2012.