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> 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) April 27, 2001

UNITED RENTALS, INC. UNITED RENTALS (NORTH AMERICA), INC. (EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANTS AS SPECIFIED IN THEIR CHARTERS)

 Delaware
 1-14387
 06-1522496

 Delaware
 1-13663
 06-1493538

(State or Other Jurisdiction of (Commission file Number) (IRS Employer Incorporation) Identification No.)

Five Greenwich Office Park, Greenwich, Connecticut 06830 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (203) 622-3131

Four Greenwich Office Park, Greenwich, Connecticut 06830 (Former Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

Exhibits

- 99.1 Press release issued by United Rentals, Inc. on April 27, 2001
- 99.2 Preliminary draft transcript of investor conference call held by United Rentals, Inc. on April 27, 2001

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 are incorporated by reference herein.

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SIGNATURES

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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 on this 30th day of April 2001.

UNITED RENTALS, INC.

By: Michael J. Nolan ------Name: Michael J. Nolan Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: April 30, 2001

UNITED RENTALS (NORTH AMERICA), INC.

By: Michael J. Nolan

Name: Michael J. Nolan Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: April 30, 2001

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