

Baltic Trading Ltd
Form 8-K
August 24, 2010

UNITED STATES
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): August 23, 2010

BALTIC TRADING LIMITED
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Republic of the Marshall Islands (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	001-34648 (Commission File Number)	98-0637837 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
299 Park Avenue 20th Floor New York, New York (Address of Principal Executive Offices)		10171 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (646) 443-8550

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 2.01. Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets

On August 23, 2010, Baltic Trading Limited (the “Company”) completed the acquisition of the Baltic Cove, a 34,403 dwt Handysize vessel. The Company had agreed to buy the vessel under the terms of agreements that the Company entered into with affiliates of Metrostar Management Corporation to acquire a total of three Handysize vessels as disclosed in the Company’s Current Report on Form 8-K filed on June 9, 2010. The Baltic Cove is the second vessel to be delivered to the Company under such agreements. The Company paid a total purchase price of approximately \$33.25 million for the Baltic Cove, which the Company financed with borrowings under its \$100 million revolving credit facility.

A copy of the Company’s press release announcing the delivery of this vessel to the Company is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed herewith:

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release dated August 23, 2010.

SIGNATURE

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

BALTIC TRADING LIMITED

DATE: August 24, 2010

/s/ John C. Wobensmith
John C. Wobensmith
President and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated August 23, 2010.
