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Form 8-K
October 19, 2007

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): October 19, 2007

Universal Stainless & Alloy Products, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	000-25032	25-1724540
----- (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	----- (Commission File Number)	----- (IRS Employer Identification No.)

600 Mayer Street, Bridgeville, Pennsylvania	15017
----- (Address of principal executive offices)	----- (Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (412) 257-7600

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.):

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02. Departure of directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On October 19, 2007, Universal Stainless & Alloy Products, Inc. (the "Company") announced that Dennis M. Oates was appointed to serve on its Board of Directors, effective immediately. There is no arrangement or understanding pursuant to which Mr. Oates was selected as a director. Mr. Oates will receive compensation for his service as a director that is consistent with the compensation paid to the Company's other non-employee directors, except that Mr. Oates will receive a pro rata portion of the annual retainer for 2007. The Board of Directors has determined that Mr. Oates is independent, as defined under

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applicable Nasdaq listing standards, and appointed Mr. Oates to serve on its Audit Committee, Compensation Committee and Nominating and Governance Committee. The addition of Mr. Oates to the Audit Committee allows the Company to regain compliance with Nasdaq Marketplace Rule 4350 in advance of the May 2008 deadline resulting from the retirement of George F. Keane from the Company's Board of Directors in May 2007. A copy of the Company's press release announcing the appointment of Mr. Oates is filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is hereby incorporated by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated October 19, 2007

SIGNATURE

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.

UNIVERSAL STAINLESS & ALLOY PRODUCTS, INC.

By: /s/ Paul A. McGrath

Vice President of Administration,
General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Dated: October 19, 2007