SECURITIES	UNITED STATES S AND EXCHANGE CO	MMISSION	
	Washington, D.C. 20549		
FORM 8-K			
	CURRENT REPORT		
Pursuant to Section 13 C	OR 15(d) of The Securities	Exchange Act of 1934	
Date of Report (Da	te of earliest event reporte	d) May 11, 2009	
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its cha	Harsco Corporation arter)		
DE (State or other jurisdiction (0) of incorporation)	1-3970 Commission File Number)	23-14839 (IRS Employer Iden	
350 Poplar Church Road, C (Address of principal	*	7011 (Zip Code)	
Registrant's telephone	e number, including area c	ode: 717-763-7064	

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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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	the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On May 11, 2009, Harsco Corporation issued a press release announcing the appointment of Galdino Claro as the new CEO for its global Harsco Metals business group, effective June 1, 2009. Mr. Claro will be based in the United States, heading up a new global headquarters organization for Harsco Metals that will be relocated from the United Kingdom.

A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit Number Description

99.1 Press release dated May 11, 2009

SIGNATURE

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

Harsco Corporation (Registrant)

May 12, 2009 (Date)

/s/ Mark E. Kimmel
Mark E. Kimmel
Senior Vice President, Chief Administrative Officer,
General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

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