CARRIAGE SERVICES INC Form 8-K May 28, 2008

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 (Date of earliest event reported): May 20, 2008 Carriage Services, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in is charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-11961 (Commission File Number) 76-0423828 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

3040 Post Oak Boulevard, Suite 300 Houston, Texas 77056

(Address, including zip code, of principal executive offices)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code:
(713) 332-8400

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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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On May 20, 2008, the Board of Directors of Carriage Services, Inc. approved an amendment to the Bylaws of Carriage Services, Inc. to incorporate Article 8.0: Indemnification providing for indemnification of its Directors, Officers and Employees.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) The exhibits are listed in the Exhibit Index set forth on the final page of this Current Report.

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SIGNATURE

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

CARRIAGE SERVICES, INC.

Dated: May 27, 2008 By: /s/ Terry E. Sanford

Terry E. Sanford

Senior Vice President, Chief Accounting

Officer and Treasurer

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INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Exhibit Description

3.1 Article 8.0: Indemnification of the Bylaws of Carriage Services, Inc.

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