

COVENANT TRANSPORT INC  
Form 8-K  
April 20, 2006

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**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 19, 2006

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**COVENANT TRANSPORT, INC.**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada 000-24960 88-0320154  
(State or other (IRS  
jurisdiction Employer  
of (CommissionIdentification  
incorporation) File Number) No.)

400 Birmingham  
Hwy., Chattanooga,  
TN 37419  
(Address of principal  
executive offices) (Zip Code)

(423) 821-1212  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

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[ ]CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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[ ]CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On Wednesday, April 19, 2006, Covenant Transport, Inc., a Nevada corporation (the "Company"), issued a press release after the close of the market announcing its financial and operating results for the first quarter ended March 31, 2006. A copy of the press release is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c)	<b>Exhibits.</b>
<u>EXHIBIT NUMBER</u>	<u>EXHIBIT DESCRIPTION</u>
99	Covenant Transport, Inc. press release announcing financial and operating results for the first quarter ended March 31, 2006

The information contained in this report (including Items 2.02 and 9.01) and the exhibit hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

*The information in this report and the exhibit hereto may contain "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act and Section 21E of the Exchange Act. Such statements are made based on the current beliefs and expectations of the Company's management and are subject to significant risks and uncertainties. Actual results or events may differ from those anticipated by forward-looking statements. Please refer to various disclosures by the Company in its press releases, stockholder reports, and filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission for information concerning risks, uncertainties, and other factors that may affect future results.*

**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.

**COVENANT TRANSPORT, INC.**

Date: April 20, 2006

By: /s/ Joey B. Hogan  
Joey B. Hogan  
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial  
Officer

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