COVENANT TRANSPORT INC Form 8-K September 14, 2006

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): September 14, 2006

COVENANT TRANSPORT, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

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

(423) 821-1212

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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On Thursday, September 14, 2006, Covenant Transport, Inc., a Nevada corporation (the "Company"), issued a press release announcing that it had executed and closed a Stock Purchase Agreement whereby the Company acquired 100% of the outstanding capital stock of Star Transportation, Inc., a Tennessee corporation ("Star"). The full text of the press release, dated September 14, 2006, is attached as Exhibit 99 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein. The Company will host a conference call on Friday, September 15, 2006, at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time to discuss the Star acquisition and provide an update on expected operating results for the third and fourth quarters of 2006.

No later than Wednesday, September 20, 2006, the Company will file a report on Form 8-K setting forth the information required by Items 1.01, 2.01, and 9.01 of Form 8-K.

The information in this Item 7.01 and in Exhibit 99 to this report 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.

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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.

C O V E N A N T TRANSPORT, INC.

Date: September 14, 2006 By:/s/ Joey B. Hogan Joey B. Hogan

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT NUMBEREXHIBIT DESCRIPTION

29 Covenant Transport, Inc. press release dated September 14, 2006, announcing acquisition of Star Transportation, Inc. and timing of conference call.