

AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC.  
Form 8-K  
October 11, 2006

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549**

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**FORM 8-K**  
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**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 11, 2006 (October 5, 2006)**

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**Avis Budget Group, Inc.**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)  
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**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**1-10308**  
(Commission File  
Number)

**06-0918165**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**6 Sylvan Way**  
**Parsippany, NJ**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**07054**  
(Zip Code)

**(973) 496-4700**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**N/A**  
(Former name or former address if changed since last report)

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

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**Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On October 5, 2006, Avis Budget Car Rental, LLC, the parent company of our vehicle rental operations, and General Motors (“GM”) entered into an agreement (the “Agreement”), which covers the 2007 through 2010 vehicle model years.

The Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions related to Avis Budget Car Rental’s purchase of vehicles from GM dealers. The Agreement also sets forth the terms and conditions related to GM’s agreement to repurchase a portion of the vehicles purchased by Avis Budget Car Rental under the Agreement. Under the Agreement, Avis Budget Car Rental agrees that in all advertising and promotional materials, developed for its Avis brand during the 2007 model year, Avis advertising will feature only General Motors products where any vehicle is featured or promoted.

The Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1, and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibits are filed as part of this report:

| Exhibit No. | Description   |
|-------------|---|
| 10.1        | Agreement dated October 4, 2006 between Avis Budget Car Rental, LLC and General Motors* |

\*The Company has applied for confidential treatment of portions of this Exhibit. Accordingly, portions thereof have been omitted and filed separately.

**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.

AVIS BUDGET GROUP,  
INC.

By:/s/ Jean M. Sera  
Jean M. Sera  
Senior Vice President and  
Secretary

Date: October 11, 2006

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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