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# 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 25, 2010

RODMAN & RENSHAW CAPITAL GROUP, INC. (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-33737 84-1374481
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

1251 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10020
(Address Of Principal Executive Office) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (212) 356-0500

(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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#### Item 8.01. Other Events.

On May 25, 2010, Rodman & Renshaw Capital Group, Inc. (Nasdaq: RODM) issued the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, announcing that it so Board has approved a stock repurchase program pursuant to which the company may purchase up to \$5 million of its shares of common stock in the open market in accordance with Rule 10b-18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit	
<u>No.</u>	<b>Description</b>

99.1 Press release dated May 25, 2010.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

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.

Rodman & Renshaw Capital Group, Inc.

Dated: May 25, 2010 By: <u>/s/ David Horin</u>

David Horin

Chief Financial Officer