

CELADON GROUP INC  
Form 8-K  
October 12, 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):  
October 6, 2006

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**CELADON GROUP, INC.**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	000-23192 (Commission File Number)	13-3361050 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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9503 East 33 <sup>rd</sup> Street One Celadon Drive, Indianapolis, IN (Address of principal executive offices)	46235 (Zip Code)
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(317) 972-7000  
(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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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



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

The disclosures set forth under Item 2.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K are incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.**

On Friday, October 6, 2006, a wholly owned subsidiary of Celadon Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), entered into and closed an Asset Purchase Agreement (the "Agreement") with Erin Truckways LTD., d/b/a Digby Truck Lines Inc. ("Digby"). The Agreement provides for the purchase of the truckload business and approximately 270 tractors and 590 trailers of Digby for approximately \$21 million. The acquisition was funded with available borrowing under the Company's revolving line of credit.

There was no material relationship between Digby and the Company or any of the Company's affiliates, directors, or officers, or any associate of the Company's directors or officers.

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On Monday, October 9, 2006, the Company issued a press release announcing the acquisition. The full text of the press release, dated October 9, 2006, is attached as Exhibit 99 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein. 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.

*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 the last paragraph of the attached press release and 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.*

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits.**

<u>EXHIBIT</u> <u>NUMBER</u>	<u>EXHIBIT DESCRIPTION</u>
<u>99</u>	Celadon Group, Inc. press release announcing acquisition

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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.

**CELADON GROUP,  
INC.**

Date: October 12, 2006

By: /s/ Stephen Russell  
Stephen Russell  
Chairman and Chief  
Executive Officer

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