

LORAL SPACE & COMMUNICATIONS INC.  
Form 8-K  
February 16, 2010

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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):

February 9, 2010

Loral Space & Communications Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

1-14180

87-0748324

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

600 Third Avenue, New York, New York

10016

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(212) 697-1105

Not Applicable

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 8.01 Other Events.**

On February 9, 2010, the Supreme Court of the State of New York granted the motion of Loral Space & Communications Inc. (the "Company" or "Loral") for partial summary judgment and declared that the \$19.4 million in fees and expenses previously paid by Loral to plaintiffs' attorneys in the Delaware shareholder derivative litigation entitled In re: Loral Space and Communications Inc. Consolidated Litigation (the "Delaware Fee Award") is covered under Loral's directors and officers liability insurance policy. At the same time, the Court denied the insurers' motion for partial summary judgment seeking a declaration that the Delaware Fee Award is not covered. The insurers may file a notice of appeal of the decision to an appellate court. Other issues in the case, including Loral's counterclaims asserting coverage for certain defense fees and expenses that the insurers have disclaimed and certain affirmative defenses raised by the insurers, remain subject to litigation.

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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.

*February 16, 2010*

Loral Space & Communications Inc.

By: *Avi Katz*

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*Name: Avi Katz*

*Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary*