

Wright Express CORP  
Form 8-K  
October 18, 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):

October 12, 2010

Wright Express Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

001-32426

01-526993

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

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

97 Darling Avenue, South Portland, Maine

04106

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(207) 773-8171

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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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 12, 2010, Wright Express Corporation (the "Company") purchased put option contracts and sold call option contracts, designed to be a costless collar, on the wholesale price of gasoline with Merrill Lynch Commodities, Inc. and the retail price of diesel fuel with Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. (collectively, the "Contracts"). The Contracts have an aggregate notional amount of approximately 11,431,557 million gallons of gasoline and diesel fuel and will expire on a monthly basis during the last two quarters of 2011 and first quarter of 2010. The settlement of the Contracts is based upon the New York Mercantile Exchange's New York Harbor Reformulated Gasoline Blendstock for Oxygen Blending and the U.S. Department of Energy's weekly retail on-highway diesel fuel price for the month. The Contracts lock in a weighted average retail floor price of approximately \$2.91 per gallon and a weighted average retail ceiling price of approximately \$2.97 per gallon.

On October 18, 2010, the Company issued a press release announcing this transaction.

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On October 18, 2010, the Company issued a press release entitled "Wright Express Extends Its Existing Fuel-Price Risk Management Program." A copy of the press release is furnished as exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference in its entirety.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibit No. and Description

99.1 Press release of Wright Express Corporation dated October 18, 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.

Wright Express Corporation

*October 18, 2010*

By: */s/ Melissa D. Smith*

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*Name: Melissa D. Smith*

*Title: CFO and Executive Vice President, Finance and  
Operations (principal financial officer)*

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| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>   |
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| 99.1               | Press release of Wright Express Corporation dated October 18, 2010 |