CTGS60040 General Counsel to the Chairman. Effective August 25, 2005.

Section 213.3384 Department of Housing and Urban Development

DUGS60240 Staff Assistant (Speechwriter) to the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs. Effective August 11, 2005.

DUGS60110 Staff Assistant to the Assistant Secretary for Housing, Federal Housing Commissioner. Effective August 17, 2005.

DUGS60534 Deputy Director to the Director, Center for Faith Based and Community Initiatives. Effective August 17, 2005.

DUGS60217 Special Policy Advisor to the Assistant Secretary for Policy Development and Research. Effective August 19, 2005.

DUGS60447 Staff Assistant to the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development. Effective August 26, 2005.

Section 213.3394 Department of Transportation

DTGS60311 Special Assistant to the Director for Scheduling and Advance. Effective August 02, 2005.

DTGS60365 Special Assistant to the Assistant Secretary for Transportation Policy. Effective August 02, 2005.

DTGS60243 Speechwriter to the Associate Director for Speechwriting. Effective August 04, 2005.

DTGS60239 Director, Office of Congressional and Public Affairs to the Administrator. Effective August 10, 2005.

DTGS60378 Special Assistant to the Office of the Administrator, Effective August 12, 2005.

DTGS60274 Special Assistant to the Assistant to the Secretary and Director of Public Affairs. Effective August 25, 2005.

DTGS60338 Special Assistant to the Associate Administrator for Policy. Effective August 26, 2005.

Section 213.3396 National Transportation Safety Board

TBGS60105 Confidential Assistant to the Vice Chairman. Effective August 25, 2005.

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 3301 and 3302; E.O. 10577, 3 CFR 1954-1958 Comp., P.218.

Office of Personnel Management.

Linda M. Springer,

Director.

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## **SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE** COMMISSION

[File No. 1-09397]

**Issuer Delisting; Notice of Application** of Baker Hughes Incorporated To Withdraw Its Common Stock, \$1.00 Par Value, From Listing and Registration on the Pacific Exchange, Inc.

September 27, 2005.

On September 6, 2005, Baker Hughes Incorporated, a Delaware corporation ("Issuer"), filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"), pursuant to Section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") <sup>1</sup> and Rule 12d2–2(d) thereunder, <sup>2</sup> to withdraw its common stock, \$1.00 par value ("Security"), from listing and registration on the Pacific Exchange, Inc. ("PCX").

The Board of Directors ("Board") of the Issuer approved resolutions on July 28, 2005 to withdraw the Security from listing on PCX. The Issuer stated that the following reasons factored into the Board's decision to withdraw the Security from PCX: (i) The Issuer's predecessor, Baker International Corporation, was originally incorporated in the State of California, had its principal place of business located in the State of California and its common stock listed on PCX; (ii) in connection with the combination of Baker International Corporation and Hughes Tool Company in 1987, the Issuer listed the Security on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"); (iii) the Issuer's principal place of business is located in the State of Texas; (iv) listing the Security on PCX is no longer in the best interest of the Issuer; and (v) the Security will continued to be listed on NYSE.

The Issuer stated in its application that it has complied with applicable rules of PCX Rule 5.4(b) by complying with all applicable laws in effect in the State of Delaware, the state in which the Issuer is incorporated, and by providing PCX with the required documents governing the withdrawal of securities from listing and registration on PCX.

The Issuer's application relates solely to the withdrawal of the Security from listing on PCX and shall not affect its continued listing on NYSE or its obligation to be registered under Section 12(b) of the Act.3

Any interested person may, on or before October 21, 2005 comment on the facts bearing upon whether the application has been made in

accordance with the rules of PCX, and what terms, if any, should be imposed by the Commission for the protection of investors. All comment letters may be submitted by either of the following methods:

Electronic Comments

• Send an e-mail to rulecomments@sec.gov. Please include the File Number 1-09397 or;

Paper Comments

• Send paper comments in triplicate to Jonathan G. Katz, Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, NE., Washington, DC 20549-9303. All submissions should refer to File Number 1-09397. This file number should be included on the subject line if e-mail is used. To help us process and review your comments more efficiently, please use only one method. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission's Internet Web site (http://www.sec.gov/rules/ delist.shtml). Comments are also available for public inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Room. All comments received will be posted without change; we do not edit personal identifying information from submissions. You should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly.

The Commission, based on the information submitted to it, will issue an order granting the application after the date mentioned above, unless the Commission determines to order a hearing on the matter.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority 4

Jonathan G. Katz,

Secretary.

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## **SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

[File No. 1-11906]

**Issuer Delisting: Notice of Application** of Measurement Specialties, Inc. To Withdraw Its Common Stock, No Par Value, From Listing and Registration on the American Stock Exchange LLC

September 27, 2005.

On September 8, 2005, Measurement Specialties, Inc., a New Jersey corporation ("Issuer"), filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"),

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78l(d).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 17 CFR 240.12d2-2(d).

<sup>3 15</sup> U.S.C. 781(b).

<sup>4 17</sup> CFR 200.30-3(a)(1).

pursuant to Section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") <sup>1</sup> and Rule 12d2–2(d) thereunder, <sup>2</sup> to withdraw its common stock, no par value ("Security"), from listing and registration on the American Stock Exchange LLC ("Amex").

The Issuer stated that it determined it is the best interest of the Issuer to withdraw the Security from Amex and list the Security on the Nasdaq National Market ("Nasdaq").

The Issuer stated that it has met the requirements of Amex's rules governing an issuer's voluntary withdrawal of a security from listing and registration by complying with all the applicable laws in effect in the State of New Jersey, the state in which it is incorporated.

The Issuer's application relates solely to the withdrawal of the Security from listing on Amex and from registration under Section 12(b) of the Act,<sup>3</sup> and shall not affect its obligation to be registered under Section 12(g) of the Act.<sup>4</sup>

Any interested person may, on or before October 21, 2005, comment on the facts bearing upon whether the application has been made in accordance with the rules of Amex, and what terms, if any, should be imposed by the Commission for the protection of investors. All comment letters may be submitted by either of the following methods:

### Electronic Comments

- Use the Commission's Internet comment form (http://www.sec.gov/rules/delist.shtml); or
- Send an e-mail to *rule-comments@sec.gov*. Please include the File Number 1–11906 or;

# Paper Comments

• Send paper comments in triplicate to Jonathan G. Katz, Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, NE., Washington, DC 20549–9303.

All submissions should refer to File Number 1–11906. This file number should be included on the subject line if e-mail is used. To help us process and review your comments more efficiently, please use only one method. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission's Internet Web site (http://www.sec.gov/rules/delist.shtml). Comments are also available for public inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Room. All comments received will be posted

without change; we do not edit personal identifying information from submissions. You should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly.

The Commission, based on the information submitted to it, will issue an order granting the application after the date mentioned above, unless the Commission determines to order a hearing on the matter.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.  $^5$ 

### Jonathan G. Katz,

Secretary.

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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[File No. 1-10219]

Issuer Delisting; Notice of Application of Vulcan International Corporation To Withdraw Its Common Stock, No Par Value, From Listing and Registration on the American Stock Exchange LLC

September 27, 2005.

On September 6, 2005, Vulcan International Corporation, a Delaware corporation ("Issuer"), filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"), pursuant to Section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") <sup>1</sup> and Rule 12d2–2(d) thereunder, <sup>2</sup> to withdraw its common stock, no par value ("Security"), from listing and registration on the American Stock Exchange LLC ("Amex").

On August 29, 2005, the Board of

Directors ("Board") of the Issuer approved resolutions to withdraw the Security from listing and registration on Amex. In making its decision to withdraw the Security from Amex, the Board stated the following reasons: (i) Various changes and circumstances have caused the Board to reevaluate the merits of maintaining the Security's Amex listing and registration under the Act; (ii) the Board of Directors determined that any beneficial effect on the Issuer being listed on Amex and registered under the Act are substantially outweighed by current and increasing burdens and costs attendant on such listing and registration; (iii) the average daily trading volume of shares on Amex during the entire year 2004 was 437.58 shares and the average trading volume for the first six months

of 2005 was 392.67 shares; (iv) in the past 25 years, the number of outstanding shares of the Issuer has decreased from 1,713,990 to 983,707; (v) currently, the number of outstanding shares of the Issuer owned by persons or entities other than the Board of Directors or management of the Issuer is 471,245 shares; (vi) these burdens and costs of maintaining an Amex listing and registration under the Act, including the costs of management time, outside accounting and legal services have substantially increased; (vii) the burdens and costs are in addition to the opportunity costs to the Issuer of management time and effort that would be required to meet the internal control documentation and monitoring requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, as well as the substantial, additional, outside accounting and legal costs involved in same; (viii) various rules and regulations imposed on the Issuer resulting from its being listed and registered will adversely affect its relations with the outside certified public accounting firm which has been the sole certified public accounting firm utilized by the Issuer for over 80 years; and (ix) the Board of Directors anticipate that the Security will be quoted on the Pink Sheets, an electronic quotation service for over-the-counter securities, following the deregistration and delisting from Amex, to the extent that market makers continue to demonstrate an interest in trading the

The Issuer stated that it has met the requirements of Amex's rules governing an issuer's voluntary withdrawal of a security from listing and registration by complying with all the applicable laws in effect in Delaware, the state in which it is incorporated.

The Issuer's application relates solely to the withdrawal of the Security from listing on Amex and from registration under Section 12(b) of the Act,<sup>3</sup> and shall not affect its obligation to be registered under Section 12(g) of the Act.<sup>4</sup>

Any interested person may, on or before October 21, 2005, comment on the facts bearing upon whether the application has been made in accordance with the rules of Amex, and what terms, if any, should be imposed by the Commission for the protection of investors. All comment letters may be submitted by either of the following methods:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78*l*(d).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 17 CFR 240.12d2-2(d).

<sup>3 15</sup> U.S.C. 78*l*(b).

<sup>4 15</sup> U.S.C. 78 l(g).

<sup>5 17</sup> CFR 200.30-3(a)(1).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78*l*(d).

<sup>2 17</sup> CFR 240.12d2-2(d).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78*l*(b).

<sup>4 15</sup> U.S.C. 78 l(g).