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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): November 1, 2010 FREIGHTCAR AMERICA, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

000-51237 **Delaware** 25-1837219 (State or other (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer jurisdiction of Identification incorporation) Number)

Two North Riverside Plaza, Suite 1250 Chicago, Illinois

60606

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(800) 458-2235

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) o
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) o
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Section 8 Other Events Item 8.01 Other Events.

On November 2, 2010, FreightCar America, Inc. (the Company) announced that it has completed its acquisition of the business assets of DTE Rail Services, a non-regulated subsidiary of DTE Energy. On September 8, 2010, FreightCar America announced the signing of a definitive agreement under which FreightCar America would acquire the business assets of DTE Rail Services for approximately \$23.2 million in cash. The closing of the transaction took place on November 1, 2010.

A copy of the Company s press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press release of FreightCar America, Inc., dated November 2, 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 thereunto duly authorized.

FreightCar America, Inc.

Date: November 2, 2010 By: /s/ Laurence M. Trusdell

Name: Laurence M. Trusdell

Title: General Counsel and Corporate

Secretary

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Document Description

99.1 Press release of FreightCar America, Inc., dated November 2, 2010.