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Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

On July 31, 2007, The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company completed the previously announced sale of substantially all of its Engineered Products business to EPD, Inc., an entity sponsored by Carlyle Partners IV, L.P., for \$1.475 billion, subject to certain post-closing adjustments.

The Engineered Products business operates 32 facilities in 12 countries and has approximately 6,300 associates. It manufactures and markets engineered rubber products for industrial, military, consumer and transportation original equipment end-users.

A copy of Goodyear's press release announcing the completion of the transaction is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 News Release dated August 1, 2007

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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.

August 1, 2007

The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company

By: *C. Thomas Harvie*

Name: C. Thomas Harvie

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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