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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) - April 1, 2005

Commission File Number 0-23320

OLYMPIC STEEL, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio

34-1245650

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

5096 Richmond Road, Bedford Heights, Ohio44146(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (216) 292-3800

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ITEM 1.01 ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT

On March 31, 2005, the Company entered into an amendment of its credit facility in the same form as the attached agreement (Exhibit 4.11). The amendment temporarily increases the revolver portion of the credit facility by \$20 million.

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.

OLYMPIC STEEL, INC. Date: April 1, 2005 By: /s/ Richard T. Marabito _____ Richard T. Marabito Chief Financial Officer (Principal Accounting Officer) 2

EXHIBIT INDEX

4.11 Amendment No. 9 to Amended and Restated Credit Agreement and Waiver dated March 31, 2005 by and among the Registrant, five banks and Comerica Bank, as Administrative Agent

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