

AON CORP
Form 8-K
January 12, 2010

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): **January 11, 2010**

Aon Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

1-7933
(Commission File Number)

36-3051915
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

200 East Randolph Street, Chicago, Illinois
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

60601
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(312) 381-1000**

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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 8.01. Other Events.

On May 24, 2009, Aon Corporation (the Company) entered into a Shirt Sponsorship Agreement (the Agreement) with Manchester United Football Club Limited (Manchester United). Under the terms of the Agreement, the Company was granted certain exclusive sponsorship and other rights, including the right for the Company's logo to appear on the Manchester United playing kit beginning with the 2010-2011 season through the end of the 2013-2014 season.

The total amount payable by the Company to Manchester United under the Agreement is approximately £80 million. In the second quarter of 2009, the Company made a payment to Manchester United of approximately £35.9 million, which includes a down payment of approximately £8.6 million for each of the four years of the Agreement.

The Company is making this disclosure contemporaneously with similar disclosure being made by Manchester United in an Offering Memorandum dated January 11, 2010.

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.

Aon CORPORATION

By:

/s/ Richard E. Barry

Richard E. Barry

Vice President and Deputy General Counsel

Date: January 11, 2010