

ABX AIR INC  
Form 8-K  
September 08, 2005

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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): 09/07/2005**

**ABX AIR, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Commission File Number: 000-50368**

**DE**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation or Organization)

**91-1091619**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**145 Hunter Drive, Wilmington, OH 45177**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code)

**(937) 382-5591**  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(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)
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Items to be Included in this Report

**Item 8.01. Other Events**

On September 7, 2005, ABX Air, Inc. issued a press release indicating that it had entered into an agreement with Delta Air Lines, Inc. for the purchase of eleven Boeing 767-200 series passenger aircraft.

A copy of the release is enclosed herewith as Exhibit 99.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
----- 99	----- Press Release issued by ABX Air, Inc. on September 7, 2005.

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**Signature(s)**

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.

ABX AIR, INC.

Date: September 08, 2005.

By: /s/ W. Joseph Payne

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W. Joseph Payne  
Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary

**Exhibit Index**

<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
EX-99.	ABX AIR PURCHASES ELEVEN BOEING 767 AIRCRAFT FROM DELTA AIR LINES