BAIRNCO CORP /DE/ Form SC 14D9/A January 26, 2007

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

#### **SCHEDULE 14D-9**

Solicitation/Recommendation Statement under Section 14(d)(4) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 10)

#### **BAIRNCO CORPORATION**

(Name of Subject Company)

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(Name of Person(s) Filing Statement)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share
(including the associated Series A Junior Participating Preferred Stock Purchase Rights)

(Title of Class of Securities)

057097107 (CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

Luke E. Fichthorn, III
Chairman & Chief Executive Officer
Bairnco Corporation
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(407) 875-2222

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications on Behalf of the Person(s) Filing Statement)

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This Amendment No. 10 amends and supplements the Solicitation/Recommendation Statement on Schedule 14D-9 initially filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (\_SEC\_) on July 6, 2006, as amended and supplemented by Amendment No.1 filed with the SEC on July 12, 2006, Amendment No. 2 filed with the SEC on July 14, 2006, Amendment No. 3 filed with the SEC on July 28, 2006, Amendment No. 4 filed with the SEC on October 16, 2006 and Amendment No. 5 filed with the SEC on October 20, 2006, and Amendment No. 6 filed with the SEC on January 3, 2007, Amendment No. 7 filed with the SEC on January 17, 2007, Amendment No. 8 filed with the SEC on January 19, 2007 and Amendment No. 9 filed with the SEC on January 24, 2007 (as amended and supplemented, the Statement\_), by Bairnco Corporation, a Delaware corporation (the Company or Bairnco\_) relating to the tender offer by BZ Acquisition Corp., a Delaware corporation (the Offeror\_) and a wholly owned subsidiary of Steel Partners II, L.P. (\_Steel Partners\_), to purchase all of the issued and outstanding common stock of the Company for \$12.00 per share, net to the seller in cash, without interest, upon the terms and subject to the conditions described in the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO originally filed by Steel Partners and the Offeror with the SEC on June 22, 2006.

#### Item 4. The Solicitation or Recommendation.

#### (b) Background of the Offer.

The Statement is hereby amended to include the following paragraphs at the end of Item 4(b):

On January 25, 2007, the Company distributed a letter to its employees. A copy of the letter is filed as an exhibit hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

#### Item 9. Exhibits

Item 9 of the Statement is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following thereto:

| Exhibit No. | Description   |
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| a(18)       | Letter to Employees of Bairnco Corporation, dated January 24, 2007, from Luke E. Fichthorn II, Chairman and Chief Executive officer of Bairnco Corporation. |
| a(19)       | Slides for Bairnco Investor Presentation dated January 2007.  |

#### **SIGNATURE**

After due inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this Statement is true, complete and correct.

#### **BAIRNCO CORPORATION**

By: /s/ Luke E. Fichthorn III Name: Luke E. Fichthorn III

Title: Chairman and Chief Executive

Officer

Dated: January 26, 2007

### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

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