

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):
July 25, 2007

CHEMED CORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	1-8351 (Commission File Number)	31-0791746 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)
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2600 Chemed Center, (Address of principal executive offices)	255 East 5th Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202 (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code:
(513) 762-6900

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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Item 8.01 Other Items.

On July 25, 2007 Chemed Corporation ("We") announced dismissal with prejudice of the qui tam action lawsuit filed in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida in June 2004. This lawsuit had alleged our VITAS subsidiary's failure to appropriately bill Medicare and Medicaid for hospice services in violation of the Federal False Claims Act and the State of Florida False Claims Act.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

c) Exhibits

(99.1) Registrant's press release dated July 25, 2007.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CHEMED CORPORATION

Dated: July 26, 2007

By: /s/ Arthur V. Tucker, Jr.

Arthur V. Tucker, Jr.
Vice President and Controller

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Chemed Announces Dismissal with Prejudice of Qui
Tam Action Lawsuit

CINCINNATI--(BUSINESS WIRE)--July 25, 2007--Chemed Corporation ("Chemed") (NYSE:CHE), which operates VITAS Healthcare Corporation (VITAS), the nation's largest provider of end-of-life care, and Roto-Rooter, the nation's largest commercial and residential plumbing and drain cleaning services provider, today announced the qui tam action entitled Eve Barys and Dwayne Ostrom ex rel. United States and the State of Florida vs. VITAS Healthcare Corporation, VITAS Hospice Services, LLC, VITAS Healthcare Corporation of Florida, et al., that was filed in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida (Case No. 04-21431-CIV-Jordan/Torres) in June 2004 has been dismissed by the Court with prejudice. This lawsuit had alleged VITAS' failure to appropriately bill Medicare and Medicaid for hospice services in violation of the Federal False Claims Act and the State of Florida False Claims Act.

Chemed was represented by Hogan & Hartson LLP.

Statements in this press release or in other Chemed communications may relate to future events or Chemed's future performance. Such statements are forward-looking statements and are based on present information Chemed has related to its existing business circumstances. Investors are cautioned that such forward-looking statements are subject to inherent risk that actual results may differ materially from such forward-looking statements. Further, investors are cautioned that Chemed does not assume any obligation to update forward-looking statements based on unanticipated events or changed expectations.

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