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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 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 reported) July 5, 2005

AMERICAN SHARED HOSPITAL SERVICES

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its chapter)

California	0-8789	94-2918118
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(IRS Employer
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)

Four Embarcadero Center, Suite 3700, San Francisco, CA 94111

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

415-788-5300

Registrant s telephone number, including area code

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

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ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

On June 27, 2005 American Shared Hospital Services (the Company) amended its existing line of credit with Bank of America (the Bank), increasing it to \$6,000,000. The line of credit is renewable annually and will be drawn on from time to time as needed for equipment purchases and working capital. Amounts drawn against the line of credit are at an interest rate per year equal to the Bank s Prime Rate minus 1 percentage point, and will be secured by the Company s cash invested with the Bank. There are currently no amounts borrowed against the line of credit.

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SIGNATURE

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.

Date: July 6, 2005 American Shared Hospital Services

By: /s/ Ernest A. Bates, M.D. Ernest A. Bates, M.D. Chairman and CEO