CNH GLOBAL N V Form 6-K September 29, 2006 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION **WASHINGTON, DC 20549** FORM 6-K REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

> For the month of September 2006 CNH GLOBAL N.V.

(Translation of Registrant s Name Into English)

World Trade Center Tower B, 10th Floor **Amsterdam Airport**

The Netherlands

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form
40-F.)
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(Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this form is also thereby
furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.)
Yes No <u>X</u>
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Form 6-K for the month of September 2006 List of Exhibits:

1. News release entitled, CNH America LLC and IAM Begin Negotiations on New Contract

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CNH America LLC and IAM Begin Negotiations on New Contract

LAKE FOREST, Illinois (September 28, 2006) CNH America LLC (CNH) and the International Association of Machinists (IAM) met today in Fargo, North Dakota to begin negotiations for a new contract covering about 520 CNH employees. The current contract expires on October 31, 2006.

We are optimistic that an agreement can be reached that is fair and equitable for all parties, one that will favorably impact CNH s cost competitive position in the marketplace and ultimately the long-term viability of the Fargo plant, said Linda Maurer, CNH vice president, human resources.

The union is also optimistic that an agreement can be reached that will be fair and equitable for all parties, stated Dennis Walworth, directing business representative IAM District Lodge 5.

The parties have mutually agreed not to discuss details of the negotiations with the media prior to conclusion. The Fargo location covered by the contract is one of CNH s 39 manufacturing facilities located around the world.

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

CNH Global N.V.

By: /s/ Camillo Rossotto Camillo Rossotto, Treasurer

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