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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 October 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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List of Exhibits:

1. CNH Global N.V. to Release 3rd Quarter 2006 Earnings and Hold Conference Call on Wednesday, October 25, 2006

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CNH Global N.V. to Release 3rd Quarter 2006 Earnings and Hold Conference Call on Wednesday, October 25, 2006

LAKE FOREST, Illinois (October 11, 2006) CNH Global N.V. (NYSE:CNH) will release third quarter financial results at approximately 8:00 a.m. Eastern time on Wednesday, October 25, 2006. The full text of the release, along with the financial statements, will be available both from PR Newswire and on www.cnh.com.

Also on October 25, at approximately 10:00 a.m. Eastern time, CNH will provide a live, listen-only, audio Webcast of the company s quarterly conference call with securities analysts and institutional investors.

The Webcast can be accessed either through www.cnh.com or CCBN s individual investor center at www.earnings.com. Anyone unable to listen to the live Webcast can access the replay at either site for two weeks following the event.

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CNH Global N.V. is a world leader in the agricultural and construction equipment businesses. Supported by more than 11,000 dealers in 160 countries, CNH brings together the knowledge and heritage of its Case and New Holland brand families with the strength and resources of its worldwide commercial, industrial, product support and finance organizations. CNH Global N.V., whose stock is listed at the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE:CNH), is a majority-owned subsidiary of Fiat S.p.A. (FIA.MI; NYSE:FIA), More information about CNH and its Case and New Holland products can be found online at www.cnh.com.

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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