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KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN  
Form 8-K/A  
September 24, 2004

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K/A

CURRENT REPORT  
(AMENDMENT NO. 1)

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported):  
SEPTEMBER 15, 2004

KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN

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(Exact name of company as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

1-4717

44-0663509

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(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

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(Commission file number)

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(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

427 WEST 12TH STREET, KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI 64105

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE:  
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(816) 983 - 1303

NOT APPLICABLE

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

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ITEM 1.01. ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT

This amendment on Form 8-K/A is being filed to amend Kansas City Southern's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on September 17, 2004 which stated in Item 1.01 that Kansas City Southern ("KCS") and Grupo TMM, S.A. ("Grupo TMM") have agreed to amend the Acquisition Agreement, dated April 20, 2003, by and among KCS, KARA Sub, Inc., Grupo TMM, TMM Holdings, S.A. de C.V. and TMM Multimodal, S.A. de C.V. so as to extend the Termination Date (the date on which either party may terminate the Acquisition Agreement, if the transaction has not closed, by giving written notice of termination to the other party) from December 31, 2004 to June 15, 2005. The September 17, 2004 Form 8-K further stated that on September 15, 2004, counsel for KCS and Grupo TMM submitted to the panel of the International Centre for Dispute Resolution a joint stipulation and agreed form of award that will, upon adoption by the arbitration panel, effect the amendment. On September 20, the panel of the International Centre for Dispute Resolution ordered the Third Interim Award extending the Termination Date of the Acquisition Agreement to June 15, 2005.

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.

Kansas City Southern

Date: September 24, 2004

By: /s/ James S. Brook

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James S. Brook  
Vice President and Comptroller  
(Principal Accounting Officer)