

HENRY SCHEIN INC  
Form 8-K  
January 05, 2012

**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): January 5, 2012

**Henry Schein, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**0-27078**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**11-3136595**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

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**135 Duryea Road, Melville, New York**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (631) 843-5500**

**11747**  
(Zip Code)

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On January 5, 2012, Henry Schein, Inc. issued a press release reporting that it acquired all of Oak Hill Capital Partners' remaining interest in Butler Schein Animal Health. The full text of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibit 99.1 - Press Release dated January 5, 2012.

**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.

**HENRY SCHEIN, INC.**  
(Registrant)

Date: January 5, 2012

By: /s/ Michael S. Ettinger  
Michael S. Ettinger  
Senior Vice President and General Counsel