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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 event): October 29, 2007

The Navigators Group, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

0-15886

13-3138397

	State of ganization)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
One Penn Plaza, New York, NY			10119
(Address of principal executive offices)			(Zip Code)
	Registrant's telepho	ne number, including area	code: (914) 934-8999
simu	ltaneously satisfy the	elow if the Form 8-K filing filing obligation of the reneral Instruction A.2. be	egistrant under any of the
[_]	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)		
[_]	Soliciting material pursuant to Rule $14a-12$ under the Exchange Act (17 CFR $240.14a-12$)		
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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

The following information is furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 "Results of Operations and Financial Condition" and Item 7.01 "Regulation FD Disclosure". This information, including the Exhibit attached hereto, shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as

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amended (the "Exchange Act"), or incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

On October 29, 2007, The Navigators Group, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing its earnings for the third quarter of 2007. This press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 8.01 Other Events

On October 29, 2007, the Board of Directors of the Company adopted a stock repurchase program for up to \$30 million of the Company's common stock. Repurchases may be made from time to time at prevailing prices in open market or privately negotiated transactions through December 31, 2008. Such repurchases are to be made in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations, including the United States Securities and Exchange Commission rules. The timing and amount of the repurchase transactions under the program will depend on a variety of factors, including the trading price of the stock, market conditions and corporate and regulatory considerations.

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.

THE NAVIGATORS GROUP, INC. (Registrant)

/s/ Elliot S. Orol

Name: Elliot S. Orol

Title: Senior Vice President, General

Counsel and Secretary

Date: October 29, 2007

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Number Description

99.1 Third Quarter Earnings Release dated October 29, 2007.