BARNWELL INDUSTRIES INC

Form 8-K

August 14, 2007		
UNITED STATES		
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMIS	SSION	
Washington, D.C. 20549		
Form 8-K		
CURRENT REPORT		
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Secu	rities Exchange Act of 1934	
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 13, 2007	
BARNWELL INDUSTRIES, INC.		
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its cha	arter)	
<u>Delaware</u> (State or other jurisdiction	1-5103 (Commission	72-0496921 (IRS Employer
of incorporation) 1100 Alakea Street, Suite 2900, Honolulu, Hav	File Number) waii,	Identification No.) 96813

(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (808) 531-8400

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- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 C.F.R. 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 C.F.R. 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 8.01.	Other Events.

Attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 is a press release issued by the Registrant on August 13, 2007 that is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release, dated August 13, 2007.

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.

BARNWELL INDUSTRIES, INC.

Date: August 13, 2007 <u>/s/ Russell M. Gifford</u> Russell M. Gifford

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer