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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 April 2010

Commission File No. 333-05752

CNH GLOBAL N.V.

(Translation of Registrant's Name Into English)

World Trade Center

Tower B, 10th Floor

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The Netherlands

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(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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List of Exhibits:

1. News Release entitled, **CNH Reports Impact of Retiree Drug Benefits Change**

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/ Michael P. Going
Michael P. Going
Senior Vice President, General Counsel and
Secretary

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CNH Reports Impact of Retiree Drug Benefits Change

BURR RIDGE, ILL., - (April 6, 2010) - CNH Global N.V. (NYSE: CNH) today reported that, under the new Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, to the extent CNH's future health care drug expenses are reimbursed under the Medicare Part D retiree drug subsidy program, such expenses will no longer be tax deductible. CNH will reflect the full tax impact of this change, an after-tax charge of \$20 million, in its results for the first quarter of 2010.

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