

STRAYER EDUCATION INC  
Form 8-K  
August 16, 2010

**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): August 13, 2010**

**Strayer Education, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**MARYLAND**

**0-21039**

**52-1975978**

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

*(Commission File Number)*

*(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)*

**1100 Wilson Blvd., Suite 2500  
Arlington, VA**

**22209**

*(Address of principal executive offices)*

*(Zip Code)*

**(703) 247-2500**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

**Not Applicable**

**(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On August 13, 2010 the U.S. Department of Education released data and analysis in connection with its Notice of Proposed Rulemaking dated July 26, 2010 on Program Integrity: Gainful Employment. The data and analysis released related to Strayer University are at odds with the Company's internal analysis conducted in light of the guidance issued by the Department. The Company is seeking to clarify the discrepancy and attached herewith is our communication with the Department.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibit 99.01 E-mail correspondence from Robert S. Silberman to Secretary Arne Duncan dated August 13, 2010.

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**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 hereunto duly authorized.

STRAYER EDUCATION, INC.

Date: August 13, 2010

By: /s/ Mark C. Brown  
Mark C. Brown  
Executive Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer