

PAM TRANSPORTATION SERVICES INC
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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D/A
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 10)*

P.A.M. TRANSPORTATION SERVICES, INC.

(Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.01 PER SHARE

(Title of Class of Securities)

693149-10-6

(CUSIP Number)

MATTHEW T. MOROUN

12225 STEPHENS ROAD

WARREN, MI 48089

(586) 939-7000

Copy to:

Edwin J. Lukas

CenTra, Inc.

12225 Stephens Road

WARREN, MI 48089

(586) 939-7000

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized
to Receive Notices and Communications)

June 12, 2018

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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CUSIP No. 693149-10-6

SCHEDULE 13D/A

NAMES OF
REPORTING PERSON

1.

MATTHEW T.
MOROUN
CHECK
THE
APPROPRIATE ☒

2.

BOX IF A
MEMBER (b) ☐
OF A
GROUP
SEC USE ONLY

3.

SOURCE OF FUNDS

4.

OO SEE ITEM 3
CHECK BOX IF
DISCLOSURE OF
LEGAL
PROCEEDINGS IS
REQUIRED
PURSUANT TO ITEMS
2(d) OR 2(e)

5.

☐
CITIZENSHIP OR
PLACE OF
ORGANIZATION:

6.

UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA

NUMBER OF
SHARES
BENEFICIALLY

7. SOLE
VOTING
POWER

OWNED BY
EACH
REPORTING
PERSON

912,560*
SHARED
VOTING
POWER

8.

2,992,000**
SOLE
DISPOSITIVE
POWER

9.

912,560*
10. SHARED
DISPOSITIVE
POWER

11. 2,992,000**
AGGREGATE
AMOUNT
BENEFICIALLY
OWNED BY EACH
REPORTING PERSON

12. 3,904,560
CHECK BOX IF THE
AGGREGATE
AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
EXCLUDES CERTAIN
SHARES

13. ☐
PERCENT OF CLASS
REPRESENTED BY
AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

14. 64.8%
TYPE OF REPORTING
PERSON

IN

* Consists of 912,560 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock owned directly by Matthew T. Moroun.

** Consists of 2,992,000 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock held by the Moroun Trust, of which Mr. Matthew T. Moroun is a beneficiary and, together with Mr. Edwin J. Lukas, a co-trustee.

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SCHEDULE 13D/A

NAMES OF
REPORTING PERSON

1.

EDWIN J. LUKAS
CHECK
THE
APPROPRIATE ☒

2.

BOX IF A
MEMBER (b) ☐
OF A
GROUP
SEC USE ONLY

3.

SOURCE OF FUNDS

4.

OO SEE ITEM 3
CHECK BOX IF
DISCLOSURE OF
LEGAL
PROCEEDINGS IS
REQUIRED

5.

PURSUANT TO ITEMS
2(d) OR 2(e)

☐
CITIZENSHIP OR
PLACE OF
ORGANIZATION:

6.

UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA

NUMBER OF
SHARES

7. SOLE
VOTING

BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	POWER
8.	0 SHARED VOTING POWER
9.	2,992,000** SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
10.	0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
11.	2,992,000** AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
12.	2,992,000** CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
13.	☐ PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
14.	49.6% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

** Consists of 2,992,000 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock held by the Moroun Trust, of which Mr. Matthew T. Moroun is a beneficiary and, together with Mr. Edwin J. Lukas, a co-trustee.

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This Amendment No. 10 amends and supplements the statement on Schedule 13D filed on January 15, 1997, as amended by the Amendment No. 1 filed on March 8, 2002, Amendment No. 2 filed on March 21, 2002, Amendment No. 3 filed on March 6, 2009, Amendment No. 4 filed on March 20, 2009, Amendment No. 5 filed on January 28, 2014, Amendment No. 6 filed on January 29, 2015, Amendment No. 7 filed on May 2, 2016, Amendment No. 8 filed on April 7, 2017 and Amendment No. 9 filed on December 6, 2017 (as amended, the "Schedule 13D"). Each Item below amends and supplements the information disclosed under the corresponding Item of the Schedule 13D. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings attributed to them in the Schedule 13D. Except as otherwise set forth herein, this Amendment No. 10 does not modify any of the information previously reported by the Reporting Persons in the Schedule 13D.

Item 2. Identity and Background

Item 2 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and restated in its entirety to read as follows:

This statement is being filed by Matthew T. Moroun and Edwin J. Lukas (collectively, the "Reporting Persons"). In (a) connection with his recent retirement, Mr. Hal M. Briand resigned as a co-trustee of the Moroun Trust and Mr. Edwin J. Lukas was appointed a co-trustee of the Moroun Trust as successor to Mr. Briand.

(b) The business address for each of the Reporting Persons is 12225 Stephens Road, Warren, Michigan 48089.

Matthew T. Moroun is the Chairman of the board of directors of the Issuer. Matthew T. Moroun is the sole shareholder, President and a director of DIBC Holdings, Inc., a holding company for Detroit International Bridge Company and its subsidiaries, based in Warren, Michigan. Matthew T. Moroun is also a principal shareholder and serves as Vice Chairman of the board of directors of CenTra, Inc. and as Chairman of the board of directors of (c) Universal Logistics Holdings, Inc. (NASDAQ: ULH). CenTra, Inc. is a privately-owned transportation holding company. Its business address is 12225 Stephens Road Warren, Michigan 48089. Universal Logistics Holdings, Inc. is an asset-light provider of customized transportation and logistics solutions throughout the United States, and in Mexico, Canada and Colombia. Its business address is 12755 E. Nine Mile Road, Warren, Michigan 48089. Matthew T. Moroun is the principal shareholder and has served as Chairman of Oakland Financial Corporation, an insurance and real estate holding company based in Sterling Heights, Michigan, and its subsidiaries, since 1996.

Edwin J. Lukas is a Vice President of CenTra, Inc., a privately-owned transportation holding company with its business address located at 12225 Stephens Road Warren, Michigan 48089.

During the last five years, neither of the Reporting Persons has been convicted in any criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors) and neither has been a party to a civil proceeding of any (d)+(e) judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction as a result of which such person was or is subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, federal or state securities laws or finding of any violation with respect to such laws.

- (f) Each of the Reporting Persons is a citizen of the United States of America.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.

Item 3 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and supplemented by inserting the following paragraph after the last paragraph thereof:

Pursuant to the Issuer's modified "Dutch Auction" tender offer which expired at 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on June 7, 2018, the Issuer purchased 185,597 shares of its Common Stock (approximately 3.0% of its outstanding shares of Common Stock). No shares of Common Stock were tendered by the Reporting Persons in connection with this tender offer. On March 31, 2018, Mr. Moroun received 276 shares of Common Stock from the Issuer as part of the Issuer's annual retainer for non-employee directors. Additionally, on June 27, 2018, the Moroun Trust transferred 100,000 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock to Mr. Moroun, and on February 23, 2018, Mr. Moroun purchased 5,000 shares of Common Stock from the Issuer upon exercise of outstanding stock options, using personal funds. The shares transferred by the Moroun Trust to Mr. Moroun and the stock options exercised by Mr. Moroun were included in Mr. Moroun's beneficial ownership as previously reported in the Schedule 13D. Therefore, the increase in the percentage of Common Stock beneficially owned by Matthew T. Moroun since the filing of Amendment No. 9 to this Schedule 13D is due to Mr. Moroun's receipt of shares of Common Stock as part of his annual retainer as a non-employee director of the Issuer and to a decrease in the Issuer's total outstanding shares of Common Stock. The decrease in the percentage of Common Stock beneficially owned by the co-trustee of the Moroun Trust (formerly Hal M. Briand and currently Edwin J. Lukas) since the filing of Amendment No. 9 to this Schedule 13D is due to the transfer by the Moroun Trust of shares of Common Stock to Mr. Moroun, partially offset by the decrease in the Issuer's total outstanding shares of Common Stock.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction.

Item 4 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and supplemented by inserting the following paragraph after the last paragraph thereof:

Since the filing of Amendment No. 9 to this Schedule 13D, 100,000 shares of Common Stock were transferred by the Moroun Trust to Mr. Moroun, 276 shares of Common Stock were awarded to Mr. Moroun as part of an annual retainer for non-employee directors and Mr. Moroun purchased 5,000 shares of Common Stock by exercising stock options. The stock option exercise was effectuated for investment purposes, using personal funds. The Moroun Trust may in the future from time to time make similar transfers of shares of Common Stock to Mr. Moroun.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

Item 5 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended and restated in its entirety to read as follows:

Mr. Moroun beneficially owns an aggregate of 3,904,560 shares, or 64.8%, of the outstanding Common Stock. Of the 3,904,560 shares beneficially owned by Mr. Moroun, 912,560 shares are owned directly by Mr. Moroun and 2,992,000 shares are held of record by the Moroun Trust, of which Mr. Moroun is a beneficiary and, together with Mr. Lukas, a co-trustee. Mr. Lukas beneficially owns an aggregate of 2,992,000 shares, or 49.6%, of the outstanding Common Stock, which shares are held of record by the Moroun Trust, of which Mr. Lukas, together with Mr. Moroun, is a co-trustee. The percentage of the outstanding shares of Common Stock owned by each Reporting Person is based on 6,026,807 shares of Common Stock outstanding, as reported in Exhibit (a)(1)(H) to the Issuer's Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO-I/A filed with the Commission on June 12, 2018.

Mr. Moroun has sole power to vote or direct the vote and to dispose or direct the disposition of 912,560 shares of Common Stock. Mr. Moroun and Mr. Lukas share the power to vote or direct the vote and to dispose or direct the disposition of 2,992,000 shares of Common Stock held by the Moroun Trust.

(c) The Reporting Persons have not engaged in any transactions in the Common Stock during the past 60 days.

(d) Not applicable.

(e) Not applicable.

Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits.

1.1 Joint Filing Agreement dated July 2, 2018 by and among Matthew T. Moroun and Edwin J. Lukas.

SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of our knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: July 5, 2018

MATTHEW T. MOROUN

By: /s/ Matthew T. Moroun

Name: Matthew T. Moroun

EDWIN J. LUKAS

By: /s/ Edwin J. Lukas

Name: Edwin J. Lukas

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

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