HEARUSA INC Form 8-K October 22, 2002

# 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): October 22, 2002

# HearUSA, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter) Delaware 0-16453 22-2748248 (State or Other (I.R.S. Employer (Commission Jurisdiction of File Number) Identification Number) Incorporation) 1250 Northpoint Parkway West Palm Beach, Florida 33407 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code) Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (561) 478-8770

#### Item 5. Other Events.

On October 22, 2002, HearUSA, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release announcing that the Company had discovered apparently improper Medicaid billing at a unit of a recently acquired business operating in Massachusetts and that the Company has reported its findings to Massachusetts authorities.

Also on October 22, 2002, the Company issued a press release announcing that the Company s president, Mr. Steve Forget, has resigned as an officer and employee of the Company.

#### Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

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99.1 99.2 Press release issued October 22, 2002 relating to resignation of Steve Forget.	Press release issued October 22, 2002 relating to Massachusetts Medicaid billing.

#### **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.

HEARUSA, INC. (Registrant)

Date: October 22, 2002 By: /s/ Stephen J.

Hansbrough

Name: Steven J. Hansbrough Title: Chief Executive Officer

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