## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the Month of August, 2009

1-15240 (Commission File Number)

# **JAMES HARDIE INDUSTRIES N.V.**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Atrium, 8th floor Strawinskylaan 3077 1077 ZX Amsterdam, The Netherlands (Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F ☑ Form 40-F □

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1): Not Applicable

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes 🗆 No 🗹

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): Not Applicable

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#### Safe Harbor Statement

The exhibits attached to this Form 6-K contains forward-looking statements. We may from time to time make forward-looking statements in our periodic reports filed with or furnished to the United States Securities and Exchange Commission on Forms 20-F and 6-K, in our annual reports to shareholders, in offering circulars, invitation memoranda and prospectuses, in media releases and other written materials and in oral statements made by our officers, directors or employees to analysts, institutional investors, existing and potential lenders, representatives of the media and others. Statements that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements and such forward-looking statements made pursuant to the Safe Harbor Provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Examples of forward-looking statements include:

- statements about our future performance;
- projections of our results of operations or financial condition;
- statements regarding our plans, objectives or goals, including those relating to our strategies, initiatives, competition, acquisitions, dispositions and/or our products;
- expectations concerning the costs associated with the suspension or closure of operations at any of our plants and future plans with respect to any such plants;
- expectations that our credit facilities will be extended or renewed;
- expectations concerning dividend payments;
- statements concerning our corporate and tax domiciles and potential changes to them;
- statements regarding tax liabilities and related audits and proceedings;
- statements as to the possible consequences of proceedings brought against us and certain of our former directors and officers by the ASIC;
- expectations about the timing and amount of contributions to the AICF, a special purpose fund for the compensation of proven Australian asbestos-related personal injury and death claims;
- expectations concerning indemnification obligations; and
- statements about product or environmental liabilities.

Words such as "believe," "anticipate," "plan," "expect," "intend," "target," "estimate," "project," "predict," "forecast," "guideline," "aim," "will," "should," "continue" and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements but are not the exclusive means of identifying such statements. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements and all such forward-looking statements are qualified in their entirety by reference to the following cautionary statements.

Forward-looking statements are based on our estimates and assumptions and because forward-looking statements address future results, events and conditions, they, by their very nature, involve inherent risks and uncertainties. Such known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors may cause our actual results, performance or other achievements to differ materially from the anticipated results, performance or achievements expressed, projected or implied by these forward-looking statements. These factors, some of which are discussed under "Key Information - Risk Factors" beginning on page 6 of the Form 20-F filed with the US Securities and Exchange Commission on 25 June 2009, include, but are not limited to: all matters relating to or arising out of the prior manufacture of products that contained asbestos by current and former James Hardie subsidiaries; required contributions to the AICF and the effect of currency exchange rate movements on the amount recorded in our financial statements as an asbestos liability; compliance with and changes in tax laws and treatments; competition and product pricing in the markets in which we operate; the consequences of product failures or defects; exposure to environmental, asbestos or other legal proceedings; general economic and market conditions; the supply and cost of raw materials; the success of research and development efforts; reliance on a small number of customers; a customer's inability to pay; compliance with and changes in environmental and health and safety laws; risks of conducting business internationally; our proposal to transform to a Dutch "SE" company and transfer our corporate domicile from The Netherlands to Ireland to become an Irish "SE" company; compliance with and changes in laws and regulations; currency exchange risks; the concentration of our customer base on large format retail customers, distributors and dealers; the effect of natural disasters; changes in our key management personnel; inherent limitations on internal controls; use of accounting estimates; and all other risks identified in our reports filed with Australian, Dutch and US securities agencies and exchanges (as appropriate). We caution you that the foregoing list of factors is not exhaustive and that other risks and uncertainties may cause actual results to differ materially from those in forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made and are statements of our current expectations concerning future results, events and conditions.

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The information set forth in Exhibits 99.1, 99.2, 99.3, 99.4, 99.5 of this Report on Form 6-K is hereby incorporated by reference in to the Registrant's Registration Statements on Forms S-8, Registration Nos. 333-14036 and 333-153446.		

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: Friday, 28 August 2009

#### James Hardie Industries N.V.

By: <u>/s/ Russell Chenu</u> Russell Chenu Chief Financial Officer

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## Appendix 3B

## New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

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Name of entity

James Hardie Industries N.V.

## ARBN

## 097 829 895 Incorporated in The Netherlands. The liability of members is limited.

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

## Part 1 — All issues

You must complete the relevant sections (attach sheets if there is not enough space).

- 1 +Class of +securities issued or to be issued
- 2 Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued
- 3 Principal terms of the +securities (eg, if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid +securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if +convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)

Ordinary shares/CUFS

224,407 ordinary shares/CUFS

224,407 ordinary shares/CUFS issued on exercise of options.

4 Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing +class of quoted +securities?

If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:

- the date from which they do
- the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment
- the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment
- 5 Issue price or consideration
- 6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)
- 7 Dates of entering +securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates
- 8 Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in clause 2 if applicable)

Yes, rank equally with issued ordinary shares/CUFS.

Allotment of ordinary shares/CUFS on exercise of 40,174 at A\$3.13 and 184,233 at A\$3.09.

Exercise of options

20 August 2009

Number	+Class
432,488,127	Ordinary shares/
	CUFS

9 Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in clause 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
17,086,643	Options
4,037,777	Restricted Stock
	Units
The following options have been	
cancelled at each exercise price:	
4,000 at A\$5.99;	
40,000 at A\$8.90;	
32,550 at A\$8.40;	
38,436 at A\$6.38.	
16,508 Restricted Stock Units have	
also been cancelled.	

Rank for dividends equally with issued ordinary shares/CUFS.

10 Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

## Part 2 — Bonus issue or pro rata issue

- 11 Is security holder approval required?
- 12 Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?
- 13 Ratio in which the +securities will be offered
- 14 +Class of +securities to which the offer relates
- 15 +Record date to determine entitlements
- 16 Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?
- 17 Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions

Not applicable		
Not applicable		

18 Names of countries in which the entity has +security holders who will not be sent new issue documents

Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.

Cross reference: rule 7.7.

- 19 Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations
- 20 Names of any underwriters
- 21 Amount of any underwriting fee or commission
- 22 Names of any brokers to the issue
- 23 Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue
- 24 Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of +security holders
- 25 If the issue is contingent on +security holders' approval, the date of the meeting
- 26 Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled
- 27 If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders
- 28 Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)
- 29 Date rights trading will end (if applicable)

will not be	Not applicable
be dealt	
	Not applicable
ances or	Not applicable
of the	Not applicable
Disclosure	Not applicable
rs to ption	Not applicable
	Not applicable
	Not applicable

- 30 How do +security holders sell their entitlements *in full* through a broker?
- 31 How do +security holders sell *part* of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?
- 32 How do +security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?
- 33 +Despatch date

#### Part 3 — Quotation of securities

You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities

- 34 Type of securities (*tick one*)
- (a) 🗹 Securities described in Part 1
- (b)  $\Box$  All other securities

Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities

#### Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

## Additional securities forming a new class of securities

Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents

35 🔲 If the +securities are +equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional+securities, and the number and percentage of additional+securities held by those holders

36 🔲 If the +securities are +equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional+securities setting out the number of holders in the categories

1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over

37 D A copy of any trust deed for the additional+securities

Not applicable		
Not applicable		
Not applicable		
11		
Not applicable		

## Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

38	Number of securities for which +quotation is sought		
39	Class of +securities for which quotation is sought		
40	Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing +class of quoted +securities?		
	If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:		
	• the date from which they do		
	• the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment		
	• the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment		
41	Reason for request for quotation now		
	Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period		
	(if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security)		
		N	+Class
	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX ( <i>including</i> the securities in clause 38)	Number	+Class

#### **Quotation agreement**

- 1 +Quotation of our additional +securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the+securities on any conditions it decides.
- 2 We warrant the following to ASX.
  - The issue of the +securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
  - There is no reason why those + securities should not be granted + quotation.
  - An offer of the +securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any +securities to be quoted and that noone has any right to return any +securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the+securities
  be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the<sup>+</sup>securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the <sup>+</sup>securities be quoted.
- 3 We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- 4 We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before quotation of the +securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Date: 20 August 2009.

(Director/Company secretary)

Print name:

Sign here:

Robert Cox

Exhibit 99.2

Appendix 3Y Change of Director's Interest Notice

Rule 3.19A.2

## Appendix 3Y

#### **Change of Director's Interest Notice**

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

Introduced 30/9/2001.

Name of entity James Hardie Industries N.V.
ARBN 097 829 895 Incorporated in The Netherlands. The liability of members is limited.

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.2 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

Name of Director	Mr Louis GRIES
Date of last notice	2 June 2009

#### Part 1 — Change of director's relevant interests in securities

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (i) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Direct or indirect interest	Direct
Nature of indirect interest (including	Not applicable
registered holder)	
Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving	
rise to the relevant interest.	
Date of change	20 August 2009
No. of securities held prior to change	<ul> <li>127,675 fully paid ordinary shares/CUFS registered in the name of the Director; and</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>3,867,544 options over unissued ordinary fully paid shares/CUFS</li> </ul>
Class	Ordinary shares/CUFS and options
Number acquired	215,197 ordinary shares/CUFS
Number disposed	149,536 ordinary shares/CUFS and 215,197 options.
Value/Consideration	• Exercise options — A\$667,017
Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details	
and estimated valuation	• Sale of shares — A\$994,638.70

No. of securities held after change	<ul> <li>193,336 fully paid ordinary shares/CUFS registered in the name of the Director; and</li> <li>3,652,347 options over unissued ordinary fully paid shares/CUFS comprising: <ul> <li>974,347 options under the 2001 Equity Incentive Plan;</li> <li>1,000,000 options under the Managing Board Transitional Stock Option Plan 22 August 2005;</li> <li>860,000 options (ROCE) under the 2006 JHINV Long Term Incentive Plan; and</li> <li>818,000 options (TSR) under the 2006 JHINV Long Term Incentive Plan.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Nature of change Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy- back	Cashless exercise of options, due to expire in November 2009 and 2010 under the 2001 Equity Incentive Plan. The disposal of shares is required to fund the exercise price and US State and Federal withholding tax obligations (which are payable immediately on exercise of options).

## Part 2 — Change of director's interests in contracts

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (ii) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Detail of contract	Not applicable
Nature of interest	Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) are contractual entitlements to be issued ordinary shares/CUFS upon satisfaction
	of certain conditions.
Name of registered holder	Not applicable
(if issued securities)	
Date of change	Not applicable
No. and class of securities to which interest	Not applicable
related prior to change	
Note: Details are only required for a contract in	
relation to which the interest has changed	
Interest acquired	Not applicable
Interest disposed	Not applicable
Value/Consideration	Not applicable
Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details	
and an estimated valuation	

Interest after change	No change. However, the current interests in contracts are:	
	• 558,708 Relative TSR RSUs;	
	• 201,324 Deferred Bonus RSUs; and	
	• 487,446 Executive Incentive Program RSUs.	

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Appendix 3B New issue announcement

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Name of entity

#### James Hardie Industries N.V.

#### ARBN

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#### Part 1 — All issues

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- 1 +Class of +securities issued or to be issued
- 2 Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued
- 3 Principal terms of the +securities (eg, if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid +securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if +convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)

Ordinary shares/CUFS

50,816 ordinary shares/CUFS

50,816 ordinary shares/CUFS issued on exercise of options.

4 Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing +class of quoted +securities?

If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:

- the date from which they do
- the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment
- the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment
- 5 Issue price or consideration
- 6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)
- 7 Dates of entering +securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates
- 8 Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in clause 2 if applicable)

Yes, rank equally with issued ordinary shares/CUFS.

Allotment of ordinary shares/CUFS on exercise of 13,816 at A\$3.09 and 37,000 at A\$5.99

Exercise of options

25 August 2009

Number	+Class
432,538,943	Ordinary shares/
	CUFS

9	Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if
	applicable)

9	Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX ( <i>including</i> the securities in clause 2 if applicable)	Number 17,035,827 4,037,777 No options or Restricted Stock Units have been cancelled.	+Class Options Restricted Stock Units
10	Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)	Rank for dividends equally wir shares/CUFS.	th issued ordinary
Part 2 —	Bonus issue or pro rata issue		
11	Is security holder approval required?	Not applicable	
12	Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?	Not applicable	
13	Ratio in which the +securities will be offered	Not applicable	
14	+Class of +securities to which the offer relates	Not applicable	
15	+Record date to determine entitlements	Not applicable	
16	Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements?	Not applicable	
17	Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions	Not applicable	
18	Names of countries in which the entity has +security holders who will not be sent new issue documents	Not applicable	
	Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.		
	Cross reference: rule 7.7.		
19	Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations	Not applicable	

20	Names of any underwriters	Not applicable
21	Amount of any underwriting fee or commission	Not applicable
22	Names of any brokers to the issue	Not applicable
23	Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue	Not applicable
24	Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of +security holders	Not applicable
25	If the issue is contingent on +security holders' approval, the date of the meeting	Not applicable
26	Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled	Not applicable
27	If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders	Not applicable
28	Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)	Not applicable
29	Date rights trading will end (if applicable)	Not applicable
30	How do +security holders sell their entitlements in full through a broker?	Not applicable
31	How do +security holders sell <i>part</i> of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?	Not applicable

- 32 How do +security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?
- 33 +Despatch date

#### Part 3 — Quotation of securities

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- 34 Type of securities (tick one)
- (a) ☑ Securities described in Part 1
- (b)  $\Box$  All other securities

Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities

## Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

#### Additional securities forming a new class of securities

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35	If the +securities are +equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional+securities, and the number and percentage of additional +securities held by those holders
36	If the +securities are +equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional+securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over

37  $\Box$  A copy of any trust deed for the additional+securities

Not applicable

Not applicable

## Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

38	Number of securities for which +quotation is sought		
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#### **Quotation agreement**

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- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any +securities to be quoted and that noone has any right to return any +securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the+securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the<sup>+</sup>securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the <sup>+</sup>securities be quoted.
- 3 We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- 4 We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before quotation of the +securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Date: 25 August 2009

(Director/Company secretary)

Print name:

Sign here:

Robert Cox

Exhibit 99.4

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37,881 ordinary shares/CUFS

37,881 ordinary shares/CUFS issued on exercise of options.

4	Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing +class of quoted +securities?	Yes, rank equally with issued ordinary sha	ares/CUFS.
	If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:		
	• the date from which they do		
	• the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment		
	• the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment		
5	Issue price or consideration	Allotment of ordinary shares/CUFS on exa A\$6.38	ercise of 35,500 at A\$5.99 and 2,381 at
6	Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)	Exercise of options	
7	Dates of entering +securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates	26 August 2009	
		Number	+Class
8	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX ( <i>including</i> the securities in clause 2 if applicable)	432,576,824	Ordinary shares/CUFS
	clause 2 il applicable)		1

- 9 Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in clause 2 if applicable)
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- 18 Names of countries in which the entity has +security holders who will not be sent new issue documents

Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with.

Cross reference: rule 7.7.

19 Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations

Rank for	dividends	equally	with	issued	ordinary	shares/CUFS	;.

Not applicable

- 20 Names of any underwriters
- 21 Amount of any underwriting fee or commission
- 22 Names of any brokers to the issue
- 23 Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue
- 24 Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of +security holders
- 25 If the issue is contingent on +security holders' approval, the date of the meeting
- 26 Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled
- 27 If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders
- 28 Date rights trading will begin (if applicable)
- 29 Date rights trading will end (if applicable)
- 30 How do +security holders sell their entitlements in full through a broker?
- 31 How do +security holders sell *part* of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance?

	Not applicable
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or	Not applicable
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articipate	Not applicable
	Not applicable
	Not applicable
)	Not applicable
and	Not applicable

32 How do +security holders dispose of their entitlements (except by sale through a broker)?

Not applicable

Not applicable

33 +Despatch date

#### Part 3 — Quotation of securities

You need only complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities

- 34 Type of securities (*tick one*)
- (a) 🗹 Securities described in Part 1
- (b)  $\Box$  All other securities

Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities

#### Entities that have ticked box 34(a)

## Additional securities forming a new class of securities

Tick to indicate you are providing the information or documents

- 35 🔲 If the +securities are +equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional+securities, and the number and percentage of additional+securities held by those holders
- 36 🔲 If the +securities are +equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional+securities setting out the number of holders in the categories

1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over

37 D A copy of any trust deed for the additional+securities

## Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

38	Number of securities for which +quotation is sought			
39	Class of +securities for which quotation is sought			
40	Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing +class of quoted +securities?			
	If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:			
	• the date from which they do			
	• the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment			
	• the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment			
41	Reason for request for quotation now			
	Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period			
	(if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security)			
42	Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX ( <i>including</i> the securities in clause 38)	Number	+Class	

#### **Quotation agreement**

- 1 <sup>+</sup>Quotation of our additional +securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the+securities on any conditions it decides.
- 2 We warrant the following to ASX.
  - The issue of the +securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
  - There is no reason why those+securities should not be granted +quotation.
  - An offer of the +securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any +securities to be quoted and that noone has any right to return any +securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the+securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the +securities be quoted.
- 3 We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- 4 We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before quotation of the +securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Sign here:

(Director/Company secretary)

Date: 26 August 2009.

Print name:

Robert Cox

Exhibit 99.5

Appendix 3B New issue announcement

Rule 2.7, 3.10.3, 3.10.4, 3.10.5

## Appendix 3B

#### New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 5. Amended 1/7/98, 1/9/99, 1/7/2000, 30/9/2001, 11/3/2002, 1/1/2003, 24/10/2005.

#### Name of entity

#### James Hardie Industries N.V.

#### ARBN

#### 097 829 895 Incorporated in The Netherlands. The liability of members is limited.

We (the entity) give ASX the following information.

#### Part 1 — All issues

You must complete the relevant sections (attach sheets if there is not enough space).

1 +Class of +securities issued or to be issued

- 2 Number of +securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued
- 3 Principal terms of the +securities (eg, if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid +securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if +convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion)

Ordinary shares/CUFS

14,000 ordinary shares/CUFS

14,000 ordinary shares/CUFS issued on exercise of options.

4 Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing +class of quoted +securities?

If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:

- the date from which they do
- the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment
- the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment
- 5 Issue price or consideration
- 6 Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)
- 7 Dates of entering +securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates
- 8 Number and +class of all +securities quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in clause 2 if applicable)

Yes, rank equally with issued ordinary shares/CUFS.

Allotment of ordinary shares/CUFS on exercise of 14,000 at A\$7.05

Exercise of options

27 August 2009

 Number
 +Class

 432,590,824
 Ordinary shares/CUFS

9 Number and +class of all +securities not quoted on ASX (*including* the securities in clause 2 if applicable)

Number	+Class
16,983,946	Options
4,037,777	Restricted Stock
	Units
No Options or Restricted Stock Units have	
been cancelled.	

Rank for dividends equally with issued ordinary shares/CUFS.

10 Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests)

## Part 2 — Bonus issue or pro rata issue

- 11 Is security holder approval required?
- 12 Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable?
- 13 Ratio in which the +securities will be offered
- 14 +Class of +securities to which the offer relates
- 15 +Record date to determine entitlements
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Not applicable

Not applicable

#### Entities that have ticked box 34(b)

- 38 Number of securities for which +quotation is sought
- 39 Class of +securities for which quotation is sought
- 40 Do the +securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing +class of quoted +securities?

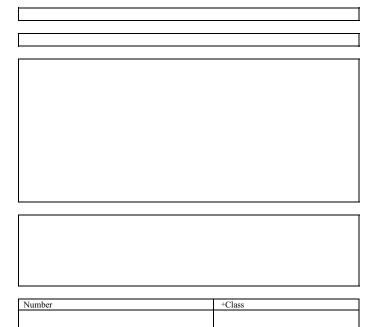
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(if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security)

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- 4 We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before quotation of the +securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Sign here:

(Director/Company secretary)

Date: .27 August 2009.

Print name:

Robert Cox