# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. )\*

# **H&E Equipment Services Inc.**

(Name of Issuer)

Common Shares (Title of Class of Securities)

> 404030108 (CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2014 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

☑ Rule 13d-1(b)

☐ Rule 13d-1(c)

☐ Rule 13d-1(d)

\* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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	Investment Management Limited, Delaware Management Holdings Inc. and Delaware Management Business Trust whose						
	individual holdings are shown on the following forms.						
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	Delaware Management Holdings Inc. and Delaware Management Business Trust whose individual holdings are shown on						
	the following forms.						
10.	10. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) □						
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Item 1.								
	(a) Name of Issuer							
		H&E Equipment Services Inc.  Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices						
	(b)	-						
		7500 Pecue Lane, Baton Rouge LA 70809						
Item 2.								
Tem 2.	(a)	Name of Person Filing						
	(-)	This Schedule 13G is jointly filed by Macquarie Group Limited, Macquarie Bank Limited, Macquarie Investment Management Limited Delaware Management Holdings, Inc. and Delaware Management Business Trust.						
	(b)	Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence						
		The principal business address of Macquarie Group Limited, Macquarie Bank Limited and Macquarie Investment Management Limited is No.1 Martin Place Sydney, New South Wales, Australia. The principal business address of Delaware Management Holdings Inc, and Delaware Management Business Trust is 2005 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103.						
	(c)	Citizenship						
		Macquarie Group Limited, Macquarie Bank Limited and Macquarie Investment Management Limited - Sydney, New South Wales, Australia Corporation  Delaware Management Holdings Inc. and Delaware Management Business Trust – incorporated or formed under the laws of the State of Delaware.						
	(d)	Title of Class of Securities						
	, ,	Common Stock						
	(e)	CUSIP Number						
	. ,	404030108						
Item 3.	If th	is statement is filed pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:						
	(a)	□ Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780);						
	(b)	$\square$ Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);						
	(c)	$\square$ Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);						
	(d)	□ Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);						
	(e)	☑ An investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);						
	(f)	$\square$ An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);						
	(g)	☑ A parent holding company or control person in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);						
	(h)	☐ A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);						
	(i)	□ A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);						
	(j)	$\square$ A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d–1(b)(1)(ii)(J);						
	(k)	☐ Group, in accordance with § 240.13d–1(b)(1)(ii)(K). If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d–1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of institution:						

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Provide the f	followin	g inform	nation regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.				
	(a)	Amount beneficially owned:					
		See res	ponses on the cover page hereto.				
	(b)	Percent	t of class:				
		See res	ponses on the cover page hereto.				
(c) Number of shares as to which the person has:							
(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote							
See responses on the cover page hereto.			See responses on the cover page hereto.				
		(ii)	Shared power to vote or to direct the vote				
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		(iii)	Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of				
			See responses on the cover page hereto.				
		(iv)	Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of				
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Item 5.	Owne	rship of	Five Percent or Less of a Class				

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Item 4.

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following  $\square$ .

#### Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

Not applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company or **Control Person** 

See Exhibit A.

#### Item 8. **Identification and Classification of Members of the Group**

Not applicable.

#### Item 9. **Notice of Dissolution of Group**

Not applicable.

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#### Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

## Signature

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

Macquarie Group Limited	February 13, 2015		
	Date		
/s/ John Polanin	/s/ Charles Glorioso		
Signature	Signature		
John Polanin Attorney-in-Fact	Charles Glorioso Associate Director		
Attorney-m-ract	Associate Director		
Macquarie Bank Limited	February 13, 2015		
	Date		
/s/ John Polanin	/s/ Charles Glorioso		
Signature	Signature		
John Polanin	Charles Glorioso		
Attorney-in-Fact	Associate Director		
Macquarie Investment Management Limited	February 13, 2015		
	Date		
/s/ John Polanin	/s/ Charles Glorioso		
Signature	Signature		
John Polanin	Charles Glorioso		
Attorney-in-Fact	Associate Director		

Delaware Management Holdings, Inc	February 13, 2015
	Date
/s/ Brian L. Murray	
Signature	
Brian L. Murray	
Chief Compliance Officer	
Delaware Management Business Trust	February 13, 2015 Date
/s/ Brian L. Murray	<del></del>
Signature	
Brian L. Murray	
Chief Compliance Officer	

#### **EXHIBIT A**

#### AGREEMENT TO FILE JOINT ACQUISITION STATEMENTS

AGREEMENT made this 6th day of FEBRUARY, 2012 by and between Delaware Investments Family of Funds listed on Annex A hereto, Delaware Management Business Trust, Delaware Management Holdings, Inc, and the Macquarie Parties listed on Annex B hereto (collectively referred to as the "parties").

WHEREAS, the parties hereto may be deemed to be the direct or indirect beneficial owners of the same equity securities for the purpose of the reporting requirements of Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and

WHEREAS, the regulations promulgated under Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act permit the joining of such beneficial owners in the filing of a single Joint Acquisition Statement reporting such ownership to the Securities and Exchange Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained, and each of the parties hereto intending to be legally bound, it is agreed as follows:

- 1. In the event that any two or more parties shall be deemed to be the direct or indirect beneficial owners of the same equity security required to be reported to the Securities and Exchange Commission such parties may join together in the filing of a Joint Acquisition Statement with respect to that security. Additional persons who may after the date hereof be deemed to be the direct or indirect beneficial owners of the same equity security as a party hereto and required to be reported to the Securities and Exchange Commission (a "New Party") may be added as a party this agreement by signing a counterpart hereof. An amendment to this agreement is deemed effective upon the signature of such new party and the amendment of the applicable Annex which may be affixed to this agreement as amended. Each party hereto agrees that this agreement, as it may be amended from time to time as provided herein, is a valid and binding agreement of each such party.
- 2. With respect to each Joint Acquisition Statement in which a party joins, each party acknowledges that (a) it will be eligible under applicable regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission to join in the filing and (b) it will be responsible for the timely filing of such statement and any amendments thereto and the completeness and accuracy of the information concerning such party; but each such party shall not be responsible for the completeness and accuracy of the information concerning the other parties making the filing, unless such party knows or has reason to believe that such information with respect to such other parties is inaccurate.
- 3. The parties consent to the inclusion of a copy of this agreement as an exhibit to any Joint Acquisition Statement filed on behalf of any of them.

ATTEST BY:	
/s/ Brian L. Murray	/s/ David P. O'Connor
Signature	Signature
Brian L. Murray Chief Compliance Officer	David P/ O'Connor General Counsel
DELAWARE MANAGEMENT BUSINESS TRUST	
/s/ Brian L. Murray	/s/ David P. O'Connor
Signature	Signature
Brian L. Murray Chief Compliance Officer	David P/ O'Connor General Counsel
DELAWARE MANAGEMENT HOLDINGS, INC.	
/s/ Brian L. Murray	/s/ David P. O'Connor
Signature	Signature
Brian L. Murray Chief Compliance Officer	David P/ O'Connor General Counsel
THE MACQUARIE PARTIES (LISTED ON ANNEX B HERETO)	
ATTEST BY:	
/s/ Gus Wong	/s/ Heidi Mortensen
Signature	Signature
Gus Wong Attorney-in-Fact	Heidi Mortensen Attorney-in-Fact

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement by their duly authorized officers as of the date set forth above.

DELAWARE INVESTMENTS FAMILY OF FUNDS (listed on Annex A hereto)

#### JOINT FILING AGREEMENT AMENDMENT

Macquarie Americas Corp. may be deemed to be a direct or indirect beneficial owner of the same equity securities for the purpose of the reporting requirements of Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, as the parties to the Joint Filing Agreement dated February 6th, 2012 and hereby agree to become a Macquarie party thereto by execution of the below counterpart to such agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement by their duly authorized officers on March 2, 2012.

MACQUARIE AMERICAS CORP.

AT'	TEST	BY:

/s/ Paul Beck	/s/ Brian Hughes
Signature	Signature
Paul Beck	Brian Hughes
Executive Director	Executive Director

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#### JOINT FILING AGREEMENT AMENDMENT

Macquarie Group (US) Holdings No. 1 Pty Ltd. may be deemed to be a direct or indirect beneficial owner of the same equity securities for the purpose of the reporting requirements of Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, as the parties to the Joint Filing Agreement dated February 6th, 2012 and hereby agree to become a Macquarie party thereto by execution of the below counterpart to such agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement by their duly authorized officers on September 20, 2012.

Macquarie Group (US) Holdings No. 1 Pty Ltd

ATTEST BY:

/s/ Heidi Mortensen	/s/ Gus Wong
Signature	Signature
Heidi Mortensen Attorney-in-Fact	Gus Wong Attorney-in-Fact

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#### Annex A — Delaware Investments Family of Funds

- DELAWARE GROUP EQUITY FUNDS I
- DELAWARE GROUP EQUITY FUNDS II
- DELAWARE GROUP EQUITY FUNDS III
- DELAWARE GROUP EQUITY FUNDS IV
- DELAWARE GROUP EQUITY FUNDS V
- DELAWARE GROUP INCOME FUNDS
- DELAWARE GROUP LIMITED-TERM GOVERNMENT FUNDS
- DELAWARE GROUP CASH RESERVE
- DELAWARE GROUP GOVERNMENT FUND
- DELAWARE GROUP STATE TAX-FREE INCOME TRUST
- DELAWARE GROUP TAX-FREE FUND
- DELAWARE GROUP GLOBAL & INTERNATIONAL FUNDS
- DELAWARE GROUP TAX-FREE MONEY FUND
- DELAWARE GROUP ADVISER FUNDS
- DELAWARE VIP TRUST
- DELAWARE POOLED TRUST
- DELAWARE GROUP FOUNDATION FUNDS
- DELAWARE INVESTMENTS DIVIDEND AND INCOME FUND, INC.
- DELAWARE ENHANCED GLOBAL DIVIDEND AND INCOME FUND
- VOYAGEUR INSURED FUNDS
- VOYAGEUR INTERMEDIATE TAX FREE FUNDS
- VOYAGEUR MUTUAL FUNDS
- VOYAGEUR MUTUAL FUNDS II
- VOYAGEUR MUTUAL FUNDS III
- VOYAGEUR TAX FREE FUNDS
- DELAWARE INVESTMENTS COLORADO MUNICIPAL INCOME FUND, INC.
- DELAWARE INVESTMENTS NATIONAL MUNICIPAL INCOME FUND
- DELAWARE INVESTMENTS MINNESOTA MUNICIPAL INCOME FUND II, INC.

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# Annex B — the Macquarie Parties

Macquarie Group Limited Macquarie Bank Limited

Macquarie Affiliated Managers (USA) Inc.

Macquarie Affiliated Managers Holdings (USA) Inc.

Macquarie Americas Holdings Pty Ltd.

Macquarie B.H. Pty Limited

Macquarie FG Holdings Inc.

Macquarie Funding Holdings Inc.

Macquarie Investment Management Limited

Macquarie Americas Corp.

Macquarie Group (US) Holdings No. 1 Pty Ltd

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## **EXHIBIT B**

Powers of Attorney for Macquarie Group Limited and Macquarie Bank Limited incorporated by reference to 13G filings made by Macquarie Group Limited and Macquarie Bank Limited on September 9, 2011.

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