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

FORM 8-A

FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 82-0572194 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

350 Park Avenue, New York, New York (Address of principal executive offices) 10022 (Zip Code)

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class to be so registeredName of each exchange on which each class is to be registeredCommon Stock, par value \$0.001 per shareThe NASDAQ Stock Market, LLC

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(c), check the following box.

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(d), check the following box.

Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates (if applicable): 333-121001

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: None

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Item 1. <u>Description of Registrant's Securities to be Registered</u>.

The securities to be registered hereby are shares of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, of ExlService Holdings, Inc. The information required by this Item 1 is incorporated by reference to the information set forth under "Description of Capital Stock" in the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-121001) under the Securities Act of 1933, as initially filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 3, 2004 (including any subsequent amendments thereto, the "Registration Statement"). Such information also will appear in the Registrant's prospectus that forms a part of the Registration Statement, and such prospectus is hereby incorporated herein by reference. The prospectus to be filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) following the effective date of the Registration Statement shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference.

Item 2. <u>Exhibits</u>.

All of the following exhibits have been filed as exhibits to the Registration Statement, and are hereby incorporated herein by reference.

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3.1	Form of Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Registrant (incorporated by reference to exhibit 3.1 of the Registration Statement).
3.2	Form of Amended and Restated By-laws of the Registrant (incorporated by reference to exhibit 3.2 of the Registration Statement).
4.1	Specimen Common Stock Certificate (incorporated by reference to exhibit 4.1 of the Registration Statement).

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

Dated: October 17, 2006

EXLSERVICE HOLDINGS, INC.

By: /s/ Vikram Talwar

Name:Vikram TalwarTitle:Chief Executive Officer

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