

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Dated: June 24, 2008**

Commission File No. 001-33311

**NAVIOS MARITIME HOLDINGS INC.**

**85 Akti Miaouli Street, Piraeus, Greece 185 38**

(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

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Yes  No

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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

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### **Acquisition of Two Ultra Handymax Vessels**

On June 24, 2008, Navios issued a press release announcing it entered into agreements to acquire two ultra handymax vessels for approximately \$152.5 million. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

This information contained in this Report is hereby incorporated by reference into the Navios Registration Statements on Form F-3, File Nos. 333-136936, 333-129382 and 333-141872 and on Form S-8, File No. 333-147186.

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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.

NAVIOS MARITIME HOLDINGS INC.

By: /s/ Angeliki Frangou  
Angeliki Frangou  
Chief Executive Officer  
Date: June 25, 2008

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## EXHIBIT INDEX

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Exhibit</u>                     |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| 99.1               | Press Release dated June 24, 2008. |

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**Navios Maritime Holdings Inc.**  
**Announces**  
**Acquisition of Two Ultra Handymax Vessels**

PIRAEUS, Greece, June 24, 2008 -- Navios Maritime Holdings Inc. ("Navios Holdings") (NYSE:NM), a large, global, vertically integrated seaborne shipping and logistics company, announced today that Navios Holdings has entered into agreements to acquire two ultra handymax vessels for its wholly owned fleet. Total consideration for the vessels is approximately \$152.5 million.

The first vessel is a 2007 built, 55,728 dwt, ultra handymax built in Japan. The vessel is expected to be delivered by October of 2008. The second vessel is a 58,500 dwt, ultra handymax under construction at Tsuneishi-Cebu. The vessel is expected to be delivered in the first quarter of 2009.

Ms. Angeliki Frangou, Chairman and CEO of Navios Holdings stated, "we believe that it is a good time to deploy cash from our balance sheet to secure quality, charter-free tonnage, particularly in light of the current strong short-term rate environment. As such, we anticipate employing these newly purchased vessels in the spot market to complement the continued stable cash flow generated by our existing long-term charters-out."

**About Navios Maritime Holdings Inc.**

Navios Maritime Holdings Inc. is a global, vertically integrated seaborne shipping and logistics company focused on the transport and transshipment of drybulk commodities including iron ore, coal and grain.

Navios Holdings may, from time to time, be required to offer certain owned Capesize and Panamax vessels to Navios Maritime Partners L.P. for purchase at fair market value according to the terms of the Omnibus Agreement.

For more information about Navios Holdings please visit our website: [www.navios.com](http://www.navios.com).

**Forward Looking Statements - Safe Harbor**

This press release contains forward-looking statements (as defined in Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) concerning future events and Navios Holdings' growth strategy and measures to implement such strategy; including expected vessel acquisitions and entering into further time charters. Words such as "expects," "intends," "plans," "believes," "anticipates," "hopes," "estimates," and variations of such words and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements. Such statements include comments regarding expected revenues and time charters. Although Navios Holdings believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, no assurance can be given that such expectations will prove to have been correct. These statements involve known and unknown risks and are based upon a number of assumptions and estimates which are inherently subject to significant uncertainties and contingencies, many of which are beyond the control of Navios Holdings. Actual results may differ materially from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Factors that

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could cause actual results to differ materially include, but are not limited to changes in the demand for dry bulk vessels, competitive factors in the market in which Navios Holdings operates; risks associated with operations outside the United States; and other factors listed from time to time in Navios Holdings' filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Navios Holdings expressly disclaims any obligations or undertaking to release publicly any updates or revisions to any forward-looking statements contained herein to reflect any change in Navios Holdings' expectations with respect thereto or any change in events, conditions or circumstances on which any statement is based.

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