UNITED STATES 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):

August 5, 2011

Gladstone Investment Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

814-00704 (Commission

File Number)

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1521 Westbranch Drive, Suite 200, McLean, Virginia

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

83-0423116

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

22102

(Zip Code)

703-287-5800

Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

On August 5, 2011, Gladstone Investment Corporation (the "Company") closed on a \$28.1 million investment in SOG Specialty Knives, LLC ("SOG"), consisting of debt and equity. The Company, together with Montlake Capital, The Mustang Group and certain members of SOG's management, provided the capital to support the acquisition of SOG from MCC Capital Partners, LLC. SOG, headquartered in Lynnwood, Washington, designs and produces specialty knives and tools for the hunting/outdoors, military/law enforcement and industrial markets.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On August 11, 2011, Gladstone Investment Corporation issued a press release announcing the above mentioned new investment. The text of the press release is included as an exhibit to this Form 8-K. Pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission, such exhibit and the information set forth therein and herein are deemed to be furnished and shall not be deemed to be filed.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release issued by Gladstone Investment Corporation on August 11, 2011.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

August 11, 2011

Gladstone Investment Corporation

By: David Watson

Name: David Watson Title: Chief Financial Officer Exhibit Index

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release issued by Gladstone Investment Corporation on August 11, 2011.

Gladstone Investment Corporation Invests \$28.1 Million in SOG Specialty Knives and Tools, LLC

McLean, VA, August 11, 2011: Gladstone Investment Corporation (Nasdaq: GAIN) (the "Company") announced today that it invested \$28.1 million in SOG Specialty Knives and Tools, LLC ("SOG"), consisting of debt and equity. The Company, together with Montlake Capital, The Mustang Group, Spencer Frazer (Founder) and Fred Keller (CEO), provided the capital to support the acquisition of the business from MCC Capital Partners, LLC. MCC Capital Partners, which acquired SOG in 2009, is a private equity firm focused on micro and middle market consumer product companies.

SOG, which takes its name from the Studies and Observations Group (the forefathers of the U.S. military's Special Operations Forces), designs and produces specialty knives and tools for the hunting/outdoors, military/law enforcement and industrial markets. SOG is based in Lynnwood, WA, and employs approximately 60 personnel.

"Gladstone Investment is thrilled to partner with the talented management team and investor groups as a significant shareholder in the buyout. We look forward to the continued growth of SOG, building on the success of the management team over the past few years," said Dave Dullum, President of Gladstone Investment.

Gladstone Investment Corporation is a publicly-traded business development company that seeks to make debt and equity investments in small and mid-sized businesses in the United States in connection with acquisitions, changes in control and recapitalizations. The Company pays monthly dividends to its stockholders. Additional information on this transaction can be found at <u>www.gladstonecompanies.com</u>.

For Investor Relations inquiries related to any of the monthly dividend paying Gladstone funds, please visit www.gladstone.com.

Forward-looking Statements:

The statements in this press release regarding the longer-term prospects of SOG and its management team, and the ability of SOG to grow are "forward-looking statements." These forward-looking statements inherently involve certain risks and uncertainties, although they are based on the Company's current plans that are believed to be reasonable as of the date of this press release. Factors that may cause the Company's actual results to differ from these forward-looking statements include, among others, the duration and effects of current economic instability, the Company's ability to access debt and equity capital and those factors listed under the caption "Risk Factors" of the post-effective amendment of the Company's registration statement on Form N-2 (file No. 333-160720), filed with the SEC on June 17, 2011 (the 'Form N-2'') and the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2011, filed with the SEC on August 1, 2011 (the Form 10-Q''). The risk factors set forth in theForm N-2 and Form 10-Q under the caption "Risk Factors" are specifically incorporated by reference into this press release. The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.