

IHS Inc.  
Form 8-K  
December 04, 2008

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): December 4, 2008**

**Commission file number 001-32511**

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**IHS INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation or Organization)

**13-3769440**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

**15 Inverness Way East**

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Englewood, CO 80112

(Address of principal executive offices)

(303) 790-0600

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Former name or former address, if changed since last report: **Not Applicable**

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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**ITEM 8.01 Other Events**

On December 1, 2008, IHS Inc. (the Company) reaffirmed its earnings guidance for the full year ended November 30, 2008 and updated its full-year guidance for 2009. The Company intends to publicly reaffirm that earnings guidance in previously-announced presentations to be made on December 4, December 5, and December 8, respectively. Each presentation will be webcast and made available on the Investor Relations page of the Company's website ([www.ihs.com](http://www.ihs.com)). A replay of each webcast will be available for playback for a period of time within a few hours after each presentation concludes. In addition, slides from each presentation will remain on the website for at least six months.

The previously-announced guidance being reaffirmed for 2008 includes all-in revenue growth of 21 to 23 percent and all-in adjusted EBITDA growth of 31 to 33 percent. In addition, the Company will be reaffirming 2009 all-in revenue growth in the range of 16 to 18 percent and adjusted EBITDA growth of 21 to 24 percent. The Company expects to report its 2008 results according to its normal schedule in mid-January 2009.

**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.

**IHS INC.**

Date: December 4, 2008

By:

/s/ Stephen Green  
Stephen Green  
General Counsel and Secretary