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WESCO INTERNATIONAL INC Form 8-K October 27, 2008

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 AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 21, 2008

WESCO International, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)
Commission file number **001-14989**

Delaware 25-1723345

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

225 West Station Square Drive Suite 700

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15219 (Address of principal executive offices)

(412) 454-2200

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On October 21, 2008, the Board of Directors of WESCO International, Inc. (the Company) appointed Messrs. John J. Engel and Stephen A. Van Oss as two new Directors effective November 3, 2008 and increased the size of the Board of Directors from ten Directors to twelve Directors. The Company s Board of Directors has not determined which committees, if any, of the Board of Directors to which Messrs. Engel and Van Oss will be appointed. Pursuant to the Company s policies regarding compensation for Directors who also are employees of the Company, neither Mr. Engel nor Mr. Van Oss will receive compensation for his services as a Director.

A press release announcing the appointment of Messrs. Engel and Van Oss to the Company s Board of Directors is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(1) D. 1.11.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated October 27, 2008

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SIGNATURE

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.

WESCO INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /s/ Stephen A. Van Oss

Stephen A. Van Oss

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial

and Administrative Officer

Dated: October 27, 2008