MASTERCARD INC Form 8-K January 06, 2009

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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): January 6, 2009

MasterCard Incorporated

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

001-32877 (Commission

File Number)

13-4172551 (*IRS Employer*

Identification No.)

10577

(Zip Code)

2000 Purchase Street

Purchase, New York (Address of principal executive offices)

(914) 249-2000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

NOT APPLICABLE

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On January 6, 2009, MasterCard Incorporated issued a press release announcing organizational changes. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press Release issued by MasterCard Incorporated, dated January 6, 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 hereunto duly authorized.

MASTERCARD INCORPORATED

Date: January 6, 2009

By /s/ Noah J. Hanft

Noah J. Hanft

General Counsel, Chief Payment System

Integrity & Compliance Officer and

Corporate Secretary

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