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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): July 20, 2005

The Interpublic Group of Companies, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)Delaware1-668613-1024020(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)(Commission File
Number)(IRS Employer
Identification No.)1114 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York10036(Address of Principal Executive Offices)(Zip Code)

 $Registrant \square s \ telephone \ number, \ including \ area \ code: \ 212-704-1200$

(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 8.01 Other Events.

On July 21, 2005, The Interpublic Group of Companies, Inc., issued a press release announcing that on July 20, 2005, it priced a private offering of \$250 million in aggregate principal amount of Floating Rate Notes due 2008. A copy of that press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press release, dated July 21, 2005 (filed pursuant to Item 8.01).

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

THE INTERPUBLIC GROUP OF COMPANIES, INC.

Date: July 21, 2005 Nicholas J. Camera By: /s/ Nicholas J. Camera

Senior Vice President, General Counsel

and Secretary