DSW Inc. Form 8-K November 06, 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 Exchange Act of 1934 rt (Date of earliest event reported) November 6, 200

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) <u>November 6, 2008 (November 5, 2008)</u> DSW Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio 001-32545 31-0746639

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

810 DSW Drive, Columbus, Ohio 43219

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(614) 237-7100

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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- o 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 November 5, 2008, the Company issued a press release regarding its sales results for the third quarter ended November 1, 2008.

In addition, the Company announced that it has reduced its home office and field leadership workforce by 98 positions, or approximately 13%, which included 82 current positions and 16 vacant positions that will not be filled. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated November 5, 2008

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.

DSW Inc.

By: /s/ Douglas J. Probst
Douglas J. Probst
Executive Vice President and Chief
Financial Officer

Date: November 6, 2008