

BELDEN INC.  
Form 8-K  
October 23, 2008

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**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): October 23, 2008  
Belden Inc.  
(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN CHARTER)**

<b>Delaware</b>	<b>001-12561</b>	<b>36-3601505</b>
<b>(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)</b>	<b>(Commission File Number)</b>	<b>(IRS Employer Identification No.)</b>
	<b>7701 Forsyth Boulevard, Suite 800 St. Louis, Missouri 63105</b>	
	<b>(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)</b>	
	<b>(314) 854-8000</b>	
	<b>(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)</b>	
	<b>n/a</b>	
	<b>(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)</b>	

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**Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On October 23, 2008, Belden Inc. issued a news release announcing its financial results for the quarter ending September 28, 2008. A copy of the release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated into this current report. The information in this Item 2.02 and in the release (attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this current report) shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise be subject to the liabilities of that Section or Section 11 and 12(a)(2) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The information contained in this Item 2.02 and in the accompanying exhibit shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission made by Belden Inc., whether made before or after the date hereof, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

*(d) Exhibits.*

99.1 Company news release dated October 23, 2008, titled Belden Announces Third Quarter 2008 Results.

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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.

BELDEN INC.

Date: October 23, 2008

By: /s/ Kevin Bloomfield  
Kevin L. Bloomfield