IRELAND INC. Form 8-K November 14, 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

November 13, 2008

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

IRELAND INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

NEVADA (State or other jurisdiction of 000-50033

91-2147049

incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

2441 West Horizon Ridge Parkway, Suite 100 Henderson, NV

(Address of principal executive offices)

89052

(Zip Code)

(702) 932-0353

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

NOT APPLICABLE

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

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ITEM 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On November 13, 2008, Ireland Inc. (the Company) issued a President s letter, dated October 31, 2008, updating its shareholders on the developments in the Company s business. The complete text of the President s letter is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference.

This information is furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 of Form 8-K and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to liability under that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing. By filing this report on Form 8-K and furnishing this information, the Company makes no admission as to the materiality of any information in this report that is required to be disclosed solely by reason of Regulation FD.

SECTION 9 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit

Number Description of Exhibit

99.1 President s Letter dated October 31, 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.

IRELAND INC.

Date: November 13, 2008

By: /s/ Douglas D.G. Birnie

Name:Douglas D.G. Birnie Title: CEO and President

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