IHS Inc. Form 8-K January 06, 2011

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

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): January 5, 2011

Commission file number 001-32511

IHS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of 13-3769440 (I.R.S. Employer Edgar Filing: IHS Inc. - Form 8-K

Incorporation or Organization)

Identification Number)

15 Inverness Way East

Englewood, CO 80112

(Address of principal executive offices)

(303) 790-0600

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Former name or former address, if changed since last report: Not Applicable

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ITEM 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

On January 5, 2011, IHS Inc. entered into a \$1 billion syndicated bank credit facility consisting of a \$300 million term loan and a \$700 million revolver (collectively, the Credit Facility). All borrowing under the Credit Facility is unsecured. The loan and revolver included in the Credit Facility have a five year term ending in January 2016. The interest rates for borrowing under the Credit Facility will be the applicable LIBOR plus 1.25% to 2.00%, depending upon our Leverage Ratio, which is defined as the ratio of Consolidated Funded Indebtedness to rolling four-quarter Consolidated Earnings Before Interest Expense, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization (EBITDA), as defined in the Credit Facility. A commitment fee on any unused balance is payable periodically and ranges from 20 to 35 basis points based upon our Leverage Ratio. The Credit Facility contains certain financial and other covenants, including a maximum Leverage Ratio and a maximum Interest Coverage Ratio, as defined in the Credit Facility.

The Credit Facility replaces that amended and restated credit agreement dated September 7, 2007 (see exhibit 10.1 to the current report on Form 8-K dated September 7, 2007). A copy of the Credit Facility is attached to this report as Exhibit 10.1.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits

10.1 Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated January 5, 2011.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

IHS INC.

By:

Date: January 6, 2011

/s/ MICHAEL J. SULLIVAN
Michael J. Sullivan
Chief Financial Officer