

CIT GROUP INC
Form 8-K
December 18, 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**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 18, 2008 (December 17, 2008)

CIT GROUP INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-31369
(Commission File Number)

65-1051192
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

**505 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York 10017**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(212) 771-0505**

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 8.01 Other Events

On December 17, 2008, CIT Group Inc. (CIT) announced that it had priced its previously announced offering of its common stock at \$4.00 per share and increased the size of the offering from \$250 million to \$300 million.

A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

No.

Description of Exhibit

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| 99.1 | Press release dated December 17, 2008. |
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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.

Date: December 18, 2008

CIT GROUP INC.

By:

/s/ Glenn A. Votek

Name: Glenn A. Votek

Title: Executive Vice President and Treasurer

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Press release dated December 17, 2008.
