INTERPUBLIC GROUP OF COMPANIES, INC. Form 8-K August 17, 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): August 17, 2011

The Interpublic Group of Companies, Inc. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 1-6686 (Commission File Number) 13-1024020 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1114 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York (Address of Principal Executive Offices) 10036 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 212-704-1200

(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:

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On August 17, 2011, the Interpublic Group of Companies, Inc.("IPG") issued a press release, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein, announcing that the IPG Board of Directors had declared a common stock cash dividend of \$0.06 per share, payable on September 23, 2011 to holders of record at the close of business on September 9, 2011.

 Item 9.01
 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

 (c)
 Exhibits

 Exhibit 99.1
 Press Release dated August 17, 2011 (filed pursuant to Item 8.01)

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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.

THE INTERPUBLIC GROUP OF COMPANIES, INC.

Date: August 17, 2011

By: /s/ Nicholas J. Camera Nicholas J. Camera Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary