

ASSURANT INC  
Form 8-K  
November 14, 2005

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**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: **November 14, 2005**

**Assurant, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**

**001-31978**

**39-1126612**

(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**One Chase Manhattan Plaza, 41st Floor  
New York, New York**

**10005**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(212) 859-7000**

**N/A**

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- 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 November 14, 2005, Assurant, Inc. issued a press release announcing the realignment of the Assurant Preneed business segment under Assurant Solutions and the sale of the U.S. independent Preneed franchise. The text of the press release is attached at Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Exhibits.**

99.1 Press Release Dated November 14, 2005

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**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.

ASSURANT, INC.

Date: November 14, 2005

By: /s/ Raj B. Dave

Name: Raj B. Dave

Title: Vice President & Assistant General  
Counsel

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