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Form SC 13D/A  
November 05, 2004

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-1(a)  
AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-2(a)

(Amendment No. 8)1

LIFELINE SYSTEMS, INC.

-----  
(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, Par Value \$0.02 per share

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(Title of Class of Securities)

532192101

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(CUSIP Number)

George F. Hamel, Jr.  
ValueAct Capital  
435 Pacific Avenue, Fourth Floor  
San Francisco, CA 94133  
(415) 362-3700

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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person  
Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

November 3, 2004

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(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 240.13d-1(b) (e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g) check the following box [ ].

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1The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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PERSON (entities only)

ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P.

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2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* (a)  [X]  
(b)  [ ]

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3. SEC USE ONLY

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4. SOURCE OF FUNDS\*  
WC\*

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5. CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED  
PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) [ ]

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6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

British Virgin Islands

-----  
7. SOLE VOTING POWER  
0

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH PERSON WITH	----- 8. SHARED VOTING POWER 0**
----- 9. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 0	----- 10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 0**

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11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

0\*\*

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12. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES  
CERTAIN SHARES [ ]

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13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

0%

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14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

PN

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\*See Item 3

\*\*See Item 2 and 5

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WC\*

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6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

7. SOLE VOTING POWER  
0

NUMBER OF  
SHARES  
BENEFICIALLY  
OWNED BY EACH  
PERSON WITH

8. SHARED VOTING POWER  
0\*\*

9. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER  
0

10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  
0\*\*

11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

0\*\*

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CERTAIN SHARES [ ]

13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

0%

14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

PN

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VA Partners, L.L.C.

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(b) [ ]

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. SOURCE OF FUNDS\*  
WC\*

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6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

	7. SOLE VOTING POWER
	0
NUMBER OF	8. SHARED VOTING POWER
SHARES	0**
BENEFICIALLY	9. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
OWNED BY EACH	0
PERSON WITH	10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
	0**

11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

0\*\*

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13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

0%

14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

00 (LLC)

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Jeffrey W. Ubben

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(b) [ ]

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. SOURCE OF FUNDS\*  
WC\*

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6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

United States

	7. SOLE VOTING POWER
	0
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH PERSON WITH	8. SHARED VOTING POWER
	0**
	9. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
	0
	10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
	0**

11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

0\*\*

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13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

0%

14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

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George F. Hamel, Jr.

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(b) [ ]

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. SOURCE OF FUNDS\*  
WC\*

5. CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED  
PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) [ ]

6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

United States

	7. SOLE VOTING POWER	
	0	
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH PERSON WITH	8. SHARED VOTING POWER	
	0**	
	9. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
	0	
	10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	
	0**	

11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

0\*\*

12. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES  
CERTAIN SHARES [ ]

13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

0%

14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

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Peter H. Kamin

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WC\*

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PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) [ ]

6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

United States

	7. SOLE VOTING POWER
	0
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH PERSON WITH	8. SHARED VOTING POWER
	0**
	9. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
	12,000
	10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
	0**

11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

12,000\*\*

12. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES  
CERTAIN SHARES [ ]

13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

Less than 1%

14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

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THE PURPOSE OF THIS AMENDMENT NO. 8 TO SCHEDULE 13D IS TO AMEND THE  
SCHEDULE 13D FILED BY THE REPORTING PERSONS ON AUGUST 10, 2001. THE  
INFORMATION BELOW SUPPLEMENTS THE INFORMATION PREVIOUSLY PROVIDED.

ITEM 1. SECURITY AND ISSUER.

This Schedule 13D relates to shares of Common Stock, par value  
\$0.02 par value per share (the "Common Stock"), of Lifeline Systems,  
Inc., a Massachusetts corporation (the "Issuer"). The address of the

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principal Executive offices of the Issuer is 111 Lawrence Street, Framingham, Massachusetts 01702-8156.

### ITEM 2. IDENTITY AND BACKGROUND.

This statement is filed jointly by (a) ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P. ("ValueAct Master Fund"), (b) ValueAct Capital Partners Co-Investors, L.P. ("ValueAct Co-Investors"), (c) VA Partners, L.L.C. ("VA Partners"), (d) Jeffrey W. Ubben, (e) George F. Hamel, Jr. and (f) Peter H. Kamin (collectively, the "Reporting Persons").

ValueAct Co-Investors is a Delaware limited partnership. ValueAct Master Fund is a limited partnership organized under the laws of the British Virgin Islands. Each has a principal business address of 435 Pacific Avenue, Fourth Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133.

VA Partners is a Delaware limited liability company, the principal business of which is to serve as the General Partner to ValueAct Master Fund and ValueAct Co-Investors. VA Partners has a principal business address of 435 Pacific Avenue, Fourth Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133.

(a), (b) and (c). Messrs. Ubben, Hamel and Kamin are each managing members, principal owners and controlling persons of VA Partners, and such activities constitute their principal occupations. Such individuals are sometimes collectively referred to herein as the "Managing Members" or individually as a "Managing Member". Each Managing Member is a United States citizen and has a principal business address of 435 Pacific Avenue, Fourth Floor, San Francisco, CA 94133.

(d) and (e). None of the entities or persons identified in this Item 2 has during the past five years been convicted of any criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors), nor been a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, federal or state securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.

### ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER

(a) and (b). Set forth below is the beneficial ownership of shares of Common Stock of the Issuer for each person named in Item 2.

Shares reported as beneficially owned by ValueAct Master Fund and ValueAct Co-Investors are also reported as beneficially owned by VA Partners, as investment manager or General Partner of each such investment partnership, and by the Managing Members as controlling

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persons of the General Partner. VA Partners and the Managing Members also, directly or indirectly, may own interests in one or both of such partnerships from time to time. Unless otherwise indicated below, by reason of such relationships each of the partnerships is reported as having shared power to vote or to direct the vote, and shared power to dispose or direct the disposition of, such shares of Common Stock with VA Partners and the Managing Members.

As of the date hereof, ValueAct Master Fund is the beneficial owner of 0 shares of Common Stock. ValueAct Co-Investors is the beneficial owner of 0 shares of Common Stock. VA Partners and each of the Managing Members may be deemed the beneficial owner of an aggregate of 0 shares of Issuer Common stock.



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(c) Since the filing of the last 13D amendment, the Reporting Persons sold the following shares of Common Stock in a block trade.

Reporting Person -----	Trade Date -----	Shares -----	Price/Share -----
ValueAct Master Fund	11-03-04	2,104,129	\$22.70
ValueAct Co-Investors	11-03-04	23,271	\$22.70

(e) As of November 3, 2004 the Reporting Persons ceased to be the beneficial owners, in the aggregate, of more than five percent of Issuer Common Stock, and accordingly, their obligation to file a Schedule 13D has been terminated.

(d) Not applicable.

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ITEM 6. CONTRACTS, ARRANGEMENTS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR RELATIONSHIPS WITH RESPECT TO SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER

Other than as described elsewhere in this Report, the Reporting Persons have no understandings, arrangements, relationships or contracts relating to the Issuer's Common Stock which are required to be described thereunder.

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ITEM 7. MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS

A. Joint Filing Agreement

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SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signature appears below on this Schedule 13D hereby constitutes and appoints Jeffrey W. Ubben, George F. Hamel, Jr. and Peter H. Kamin, and each of them, with full power to act without the other, his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities (until revoked in writing) to sign any and all amendments to this Schedule 13D, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, thereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents or any of them, or their or his substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

ValueAct Capital Master Fund L.P., by  
VA Partners, L.L.C., its General Partner

By: /s/ George F. Hamel, Jr.

Dated: November 5, 2004

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George F. Hamel, Jr., Managing Member

ValueAct Capital Capital Co-Investors, L.P.,  
by VA Partners, L.L.C., its General Partner

By: /s/ George F. Hamel, Jr.

Dated: November 5, 2004

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George F. Hamel, Jr., Managing Member

VA Partners, L.L.C.

By: /s/ George F. Hamel, Jr.

Dated: November 5, 2004

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By: /s/ Jeffrey W. Ubben  
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Dated: November 5, 2004 Jeffrey W. Ubben, Managing Member

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By: /s/ George F. Hamel, Jr.  
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Dated: November 5, 2004 George F. Hamel, Jr., Managing Member

By: /s/ Peter H. Kamin  
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Dated: November 5, 2004 Peter H. Kamin, Managing Member

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Exhibit A  
JOINT FILING UNDERTAKING

The undersigned parties hereby agree that the Schedule 13D filed herewith (and any amendments thereto) relating to the Common Stock of Lifeline Systems, Inc. is being filed jointly on behalf of each of them with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P., by  
VA Partners, L.L.C., its General Partner  
  
By: /s/ George F. Hamel, Jr.  
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Dated: November 5, 2004 George F. Hamel, Jr., Managing Member

ValueAct Capital Capital Co-Investors, L.P.,  
by VA Partners, L.L.C., its General Partner  
  
By: /s/ George F. Hamel, Jr.  
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Dated: November 5, 2004 George F. Hamel, Jr., Managing Member

VA Partners, L.L.C.  
  
By: /s/ George F. Hamel, Jr.  
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Dated: November 5, 2004 George F. Hamel, Jr., Managing Member

By: /s/ Jeffrey W. Ubben

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Jeffrey W. Ubben, Managing Member

By: /s/ George F. Hamel, Jr.

Dated: November 5, 2004

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George F. Hamel, Jr., Managing Member

By: /s/ Peter H. Kamin

Dated: November 5, 2004

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Peter H. Kamin, Managing Member

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