

MARSH & MCLENNAN COMPANIES, INC.

Form 8-K

March 23, 2009

**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) March 18, 2009

**Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

**1-5998**  
(Commission File Number)

**36-2668272**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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**1166 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**10036**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code (212) 345-5000**

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- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- 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))

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On March 18, 2009, Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc. (the Company ) entered into an Underwriting Agreement (attached hereto as Exhibit 1.1 and incorporated herein by reference) with Banc of America Securities LLC, Citigroup Global Markets Inc. and J.P. Morgan Securities Inc., as representatives of the several underwriters named therein (the Underwriters ), pursuant to which the Underwriters agreed to purchase from the Company \$400,000,000 aggregate principal amount of 9.25% senior notes due 2019 (the Notes ).

The Notes are being offered and sold pursuant to the Company s shelf registration statement on Form S-3 (Registration No. 333-136820) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 22, 2006, and a prospectus supplement dated March 18, 2009.

The terms of the Notes are set forth in a First Supplemental Indenture, dated as of March 23, 2009, entered into by the Company and The Bank of New York Mellon, as trustee (attached hereto as Exhibit 4.1 and incorporated herein by reference).

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits**

- 1.1 Underwriting Agreement, dated March 18, 2009, among Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc. and Banc of America Securities LLC, Citigroup Global Markets Inc. and J.P. Morgan Securities Inc. and the other Underwriters named therein.
- 4.1 First Supplemental Indenture, dated as of March 23, 2009, between Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc. and The Bank of New York Mellon, as trustee.
- 4.2 Form of Note (included as an exhibit to Exhibit 4.1 above).

**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.

MARSH & McLENNAN COMPANIES, INC.

By: /s/ Luciana Fato

Name: Luciana Fato

Title: Deputy General Counsel & Corporate Secretary

Date: March 23, 2009

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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