

UST INC
Form 8-K
December 14, 2005

**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 14, 2005

UST INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

DELAWARE

0-17506

06-1193986

(State or Other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation)

(Commission
File Number)

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

100 West Putnam Avenue, Greenwich, Connecticut

06830

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(203) 661-1100

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

None

(Former Name, Former Address,
if Changed Since Last Report)

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act
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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On December 14, 2005, UST Inc. issued a press release with respect to its smokeless tobacco and wine businesses. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

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.

UST INC.

Dated: December 14, 2005

By: /s/ Richard A. Kohlberger
Name: Richard A. Kohlberger
Title: Senior Vice President, General
Counsel
and Secretary

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