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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 (Date of earliest event reported): November 14, 2008 (November 13, 2008)

ALCOA INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania (State or Other Jurisdiction 1-3610 (Commission File Number) 25-0317820 (I.R.S. Employer

of Incorporation) Identification Number)

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390 Park Avenue, New York, New York (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

10022-4608 (Zip Code)

Office of Investor Relations 212-836-2674

Office of the Secretary 212-836-2732

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(d) Effective November 13, 2008, the Board of Directors of Alcoa Inc. (Alcoa), upon recommendation of its Governance and Nominating Committee, appointed Patricia F. Russo, former Chief Executive Officer of Alcatel Lucent, to the Board of Directors of Alcoa. Ms. Russo was appointed to the class of directors whose terms expire at the annual meeting of shareholders in 2009. She has been named as a member of the Compensation and Benefits Committee of the Board.

Ms. Russo will receive compensation for her service on the Board in accordance with the terms described under the caption Director Compensation of Alcoa s proxy statement that was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 17, 2008. In addition, Alcoa will enter into an indemnity agreement with Ms. Russo in the form approved in principle by Alcoa shareholders and which Alcoa has entered into with each of its directors to supplement the indemnification coverage provided by Alcoa s Articles of Incorporation and By-laws and the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Law. (See Form of Indemnity Agreement between Alcoa and individual directors or officers, incorporated by reference to exhibit 10(j) to Alcoa s Annual Report on Form 10-K (Commission file number 1-3610) for the year ended December 31, 1987.)

A copy of the press release announcing the appointment of Ms. Russo is attached hereto as Exhibit 99 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following is filed as an exhibit to this report:

99 Alcoa Inc. press release dated November 13, 2008.

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.

ALCOA INC.

By: /s/ J. Michael Schell Name: J. Michael Schell

Title: Executive Vice President Business Development

and Law

Date: November 14, 2008

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.

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