

BOISE INC.  
Form 8-K  
December 09, 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: December 9, 2009**

**Date of Earliest Event Reported: December 9, 2009**

**BOISE INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-33541**  
(Commission File Number)

1111 West Jefferson Street, Suite 200

**20-8356960**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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Boise, ID 83702-5388

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(208) 384-7000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

- 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 December 9, 2009, Boise Inc. made a voluntary prepayment of \$100 million to its Tranche B term loan, due 2014, as permitted under the terms of the company's debt agreements.

**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.

BOISE INC.

By */s/* **KAREN E. GOWLAND**  
**Karen E. Gowland**

**Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate  
Secretary**

Date: December 9, 2009