

EQUIFAX INC  
Form 10-Q  
November 06, 2013

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

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**FORM 10-Q**

(Mark One)

**QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 or 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2013**

**OR**

**TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 or 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ .**

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**EQUIFAX INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Georgia**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

**58-0401110**

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

**1550 Peachtree Street, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**30309**

(Zip Code)

**404-885-8000**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  No

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company. See definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer  Accelerated filer  Non-accelerated filer  Smaller reporting company   
(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Yes  No

On October 11, 2013, there were 121,685,513 shares of the registrant's common stock outstanding.

**EQUIFAX INC.**

**QUARTERLY REPORT ON FORM 10-Q**

**QUARTER ENDED September 30, 2013**

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## **FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

This report contains information that may constitute “forward-looking statements.” Generally, the words “believe,” “expect,” “intend,” “estimate,” “anticipate,” “project,” “will,” “may” and similar expressions identify forward-looking statements, which generally are not historical in nature. All statements that address operating performance, events or developments that we expect or anticipate will occur in the future, including statements relating to future operating results, are forward-looking statements. Management believes that these forward-looking statements are reasonable as and when made. However, forward-looking statements are subject to certain risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from our Company’s historical experience and our present expectations or projections. These risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, those described in Part II, “Item 1A. Risk Factors,” and elsewhere in this report and in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012, and those described from time to time in our future reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. As a result of such risks and uncertainties, we urge you not to place undue reliance on any such forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date when made. We undertake no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law.

**PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION****ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)****EQUIFAX INC.****CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME**

(In millions, except per share amounts)	Three Months Ended September 30, 2013 (Unaudited)	2012
Operating revenue	\$ 572.0	\$ 520.0
Operating expenses:		
Cost of services (exclusive of depreciation and amortization below)	196.8	188.4
Selling, general and administrative expenses	173.4	161.5
Depreciation and amortization	51.8	39.6
Total operating expenses	422.0	389.5
Operating income	150.0	130.5
Interest expense	(17.5)	(13.6)
Other income, net	0.6	1.9
Consolidated income from continuing operations before income taxes	133.1	118.8
Provision for income taxes	(47.0)	(39.7)
Consolidated income from continuing operations	86.1	79.1
Discontinued operations, net of tax	(0.6)	1.0
Consolidated net income	85.5	80.1
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	(2.0)	(2.2)
Net income attributable to Equifax	\$ 83.5	\$ 77.9
Amounts attributable to Equifax:		
Net income from continuing operations attributable to Equifax	\$ 84.1	\$ 76.9
Discontinued operations, net of tax	(0.6)	1.0
Net income attributable to Equifax	\$ 83.5	\$ 77.9
Basic earnings per common share:		
Net income from continuing operations attributable to Equifax	\$ 0.69	\$ 0.64
Discontinued operations attributable to Equifax	-	0.01
Net income attributable to Equifax	\$ 0.69	\$ 0.65
Weighted-average shares used in computing basic earnings per share	121.6	119.7
Diluted earnings per common share:		
Net income from continuing operations attributable to Equifax	\$ 0.67	\$ 0.63
Discontinued operations attributable to Equifax	-	0.01
Net income attributable to Equifax	\$ 0.67	\$ 0.64
Weighted-average shares used in computing diluted earnings per share	123.9	122.2
Dividends per common share	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.18

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

**EQUIFAX INC.**

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME**

Nine Months Ended  
September 30,