

TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC.

Form 8-K

April 21, 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): **April 21, 2009**

The Travelers Companies, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota

(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

001-10898

(Commission File Number)

41-0518860

(IRS Employer Identification
Number)

485 Lexington Avenue

New York, New York

(Address of principal executive offices)

10017

(Zip Code)

(917) 778-6000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(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 8.01 Other Events.

Effective as of the date hereof, Jay Fishman, The Travelers Companies, Inc. s Chief Executive Officer, determined that he would no longer accept any reimbursements for taxes related to income imputed to him for his personal commuting expenses.

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.

Date: April 21, 2009

THE TRAVELERS COMPANIES, INC.

By: /s/ Matthew S. Furman
Name: Matthew S. Furman
Title: Senior Vice President