

BARNES GROUP INC
Form 8-K
December 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): 12/21/2009

BARNES GROUP INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 1-04801

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

06-0247840
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

123 Main Street
Bristol, Connecticut
06010
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(860) 583-7070
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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:

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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

On December 21, 2009, Barnes Group Inc. issued a press release regarding classification of cash distributions for 2008 and 2009 which is attached.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1. Press Release issued December 21, 2009.

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.

BARNES GROUP INC.

Date: December 21, 2009

By: /s/ Christopher J. Stephens, Jr.

Christopher J. Stephens, Jr.
Senior Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
EX-99.1	Press Release issued December 21, 2009