

BRIGHTPOINT INC  
Form 8-K  
January 05, 2010

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 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) January 4, 2010  
BRIGHTPOINT, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)  
**Indiana**

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-12845

35-1778566

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

7365 Interactive Way, Suite 200, Indianapolis, IN

46278

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(317) 707-2355

(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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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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 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.**

On January 4, 2010, Brightpoint, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing preliminary estimates of its financial results for the quarter ended December 31, 2009 as well as preliminary selected expectations for 2010. In these preliminary estimates, the Company has provided income from continuing operations per diluted share on both a U.S. GAAP basis and on an as adjusted non-GAAP basis because the Company's management believes it provides meaningful information to investors. Among other things, it may assist investors in evaluating the Company's on-going operations. Adjustments to income from continuing operations per diluted share generally include certain non-cash charges such as stock based compensation and amortization of acquired finite lived intangible assets as well as other items that are considered to be unusual or infrequent in nature such as goodwill impairment charges and restructuring charges. The specific items excluded with respect to the Company's preliminary fourth quarter estimates of non-GAAP income from continuing operations per diluted share are estimated stock-based compensation expense, amortization expense, estimated restructuring charge, gain on indemnification settlement and certain discrete tax items. The Company considers these items unrelated to its core operating performance, and believes that use of this non-GAAP measure allows comparison of operating results that are consistent over time. Non-GAAP income from continuing operations per diluted share is calculated by dividing non-GAAP income from continuing operations by non-GAAP weighted average common shares outstanding (diluted). For purposes of calculating non-GAAP income from continuing operations per diluted share, the Company adds back certain shares presumed to be repurchased under the U.S. GAAP treasury stock method related to stock based compensation expense. The Company believes these non-GAAP disclosures provide important supplemental information to management and investors regarding financial and business trends relating to the Company's financial condition and results of operations. Management uses these non-GAAP measures internally to evaluate the performance of the business and to evaluate results relative to incentive compensation targets for certain employees. Investors should consider non-GAAP measures in addition to, not as a substitute for, or as superior to measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP. A copy of the press release is annexed as exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into any registration statement heretofore or hereafter filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, nor shall it be treated as filed for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release of Brightpoint, Inc. dated January 4, 2010

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**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.

BRIGHTPOINT, Inc.  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Anthony W. Boor  
Anthony W. Boor  
Executive Vice President, Chief  
Financial Officer and Treasurer

Date: January 4, 2010