VALASSIS COMMUNICATIONS INC Form 8-K December 23, 2008

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): December 23, 2008

VALASSIS COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction 1-10991 (Commission File Number) 38-2760940 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

Identification No.)

19975 Victor Parkway, Livonia, MI (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

48152 (Zip Code)

(734) 591-3000

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 reg	gistrant 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))

Items to be Included in this Report

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On December 23, 2008, Valassis Communications, Inc. (Valassis) issued a press release announcing the postponement of one of the trials scheduled in connection with the litigation brought by Valassis against News America Incorporated a/k/a News America Marketing Group, News America FSI, Inc. a/k/a News America Marketing FSI, LLC, and News America Marketing In-Store Services, Inc. a/k/a News America Marketing In-Store Services, LLC. A copy of the press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release of Valassis Communications, Inc., dated December 23, 2008.

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.

VALASSIS COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Date: December 23, 2008 By: /s/ Robert L. Recchia

Name: Robert L. Recchia

Title: Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

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