

MAGNETEK, INC.  
Form 8-K  
December 09, 2008

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

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**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 3, 2008**

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**MAGNETEK, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

<b>Delaware</b>	<b>1-10233</b>	<b>95-3917584</b>
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**N49 W13650 Campbell Drive  
Menomonee Falls, WI**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**53051**  
(Zip Code)

**(262) 783-3500**

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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  - o 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**

Magnetek, Inc. ( Magnetek or the Company ) became aware that one of its investors, Riley Investment Management LLC ( RIM ), Los Angeles, CA, has filed a Statement on Schedule 13D with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Schedule 13D references a letter sent by RIM on December 3, 2008 to Magnetek s Board of Directors suggesting that the Board should commence a process to sell the Company. RIM also requested the Board to appoint a representative of RIM to the Board. The Board will consider RIM s suggestions in due course.

A copy of the press release relating to the Statement on Schedule 13-D filing issued by the Company on December 8, 2008 is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 - Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Magnetek, Inc. Press Release dated December 8, 2008

**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.

Dated: December 9, 2008

MAGNETEK, INC.

/s/ Marty J. Schwenner  
By: Marty J. Schwenner  
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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