

BELDEN INC.  
Form 8-K  
February 25, 2008

**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): February 21, 2008  
Belden Inc.  
(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN CHARTER)**

Delaware

001-12561

36-3601505

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification  
No.)

7701 Forsyth Boulevard, Suite 800  
St. Louis, Missouri 63105

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

(314) 854-8000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

n/a

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

Check the appropriate box below if this 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 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

**(d)**

On February 21, 2008, the Board of Directors of Belden Inc. (the Company ) appointed Judy Brown to the Board and to its Audit Committee. Since July 2006, Ms. Brown, 39, has served as Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Chief Accounting Officer of Perrigo Company ( Perrigo ). Ms. Brown joined Perrigo in September 2004 as Vice President and Corporate Controller. Perrigo is a leading global healthcare supplier that develops, manufactures and distributes over-the-counter and prescription pharmaceuticals, nutritional products, active pharmaceutical ingredients and consumer products. The company is the world's largest manufacturer of over-the-counter pharmaceuticals for the store brand market. Before joining Perrigo, Ms. Brown held various senior positions in finance and operations at Whirlpool Corporation (1998 to August 2004) in Italy and the US and at Ernst & Young (1990-1998) in both the US and Germany.

**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.

BELDEN INC.

Date: February 21, 2008

By: /s/ Kevin L. Bloomfield  
Kevin L. Bloomfield