

Ingersoll-Rand plc  
Form 8-K  
December 07, 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): December 1, 2010**

**INGERSOLL-RAND PLC**

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

**Ireland**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**  
  
**of Incorporation)**

**001-34400**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**98-0626632**  
**(IRS Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

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**170/175 Lakeview Dr.**

**Airside Business Park**

**Swords, Co. Dublin**

**Ireland**

**(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)**

**+(353) (0) 18707400**

**(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)**

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

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- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

*Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.*

On December 1, 2010, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Ingersoll-Rand plc approved a revision to the Annual Incentive Matrix program in which certain key employees, including the Named Executive Officers, participate. Operating Margin percentage is being introduced as a financial metric for the 2011 performance year. Available Cash Flow and Revenue Growth will also be financial metrics that along with individual performance determine payments under the program.

**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.

**INGERSOLL-RAND PLC**  
**(Registrant)**

Date: December 7, 2010

/s/ ROBERT L. KATZ  
**Robert L. Katz**  
**Senior Vice President and General Counsel**