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): February 5, 2009

PRESTIGE BRANDS HOLDINGS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<u>Delaware</u> (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) <u>001-32433</u> (Commission File Number) 20-1297589 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

<u>90 North Broadway, Irvington, New York 10533</u> (Address of principal executive offices, including Zip Code)

(914) 524-6810 (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 registrant under any of the following provisions:

[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

[] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

[] 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))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 5, 2009, the Registrant announced financial results for the fiscal quarter and nine months ended December 31, 2008. A copy of the press release announcing the Registrant's earnings results for the fiscal quarter and nine months ended December 31, 2008 is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

The information in this Form 8-K and Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, unless the Registrant specifically states that the information is to be considered "filed" under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or incorporates it by reference into a filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

The information set forth in Item 2.02 above is incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press Release dated February 5, 2009 announcing the Registrant's financial results for the fiscal quarter and nine months ended December 31, 2008 (furnished only).

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: February 5, 2009

PRESTIGE BRANDS HOLDINGS, INC.

By: <u>/s/ Peter J. Anderson</u> Name:Peter J. Anderson Title: Chief Financial Officer

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Prestige Brands Holdings, Inc. Reports Fiscal 2009 Third Quarter & Nine Month Results; Net Revenues Up Slightly, Free Cash Flow Increases 16%

Irvington, NY, February 5, 2009—Prestige Brands Holdings, Inc. (NYSE-PBH), a consumer products company with a diversified portfolio of well-known brands in over-the-counter healthcare products, household products and personal care products, today announced results for the third fiscal quarter and nine months of it's 2009 fiscal year ended December 31, 2008.

Third Quarter Results

Net revenues for the third fiscal quarter ended December 31, 2008 were \$80.3 million, slightly ahead of last year's comparable period net revenues of \$80.2 million.

Operating income of \$20.0 million for the third fiscal quarter was \$2.9 million or 12.9% below last year's third quarter operating income of \$22.9 million. Although the quarter's gross profit increased by \$1.1 million, the increase was offset by increased advertising and promotion (A&P) and general and administrative expenses (G&A) of \$1.8 million and \$2.1 million, respectively. The gross profit increase was the result of a favorable sales mix and a reduction in obsolescence expenses. The A&P increase was driven by introductory advertising support for two new allergen block products, Chloraseptic® Allergen Block and Little Allergies® Allergen Block. G&A increased primarily due to stock-based compensation expenses in the current year, compared to a credit in the prior year quarter, resulting from the reversal of expenses associated with certain stock-based incentive compensation that did not vest because performance targets were not met.

Net income for the third quarter ended December 31, 2008 was \$8.0 million or \$0.16 per diluted share, 5% below the comparable period's net income of \$8.4 million or \$0.17 per diluted share. The decrease in operating income was partially offset by a reduction in interest expense due to lower debt outstanding and lower interest rates.

Commenting on the results of the quarter, Mark Pettie, Chairman and CEO said, "This was a challenging quarter for us in the face of a sharply deteriorating economic climate, highlighted by eroding retailer and consumer sentiment. A bright spot continues to be our free cash flow, which increased meaningfully in the third quarter, helping to enhance our liquidity position. Going forward we remain

very cautious. While we are still confident in our long-term revenue projection of 2-4%, given the current macroeconomic environment and our year-to-date results, we do not anticipate achieving this growth rate in fiscal year 2009."

Results by Segment

Over-The-Counter (OTC) Healthcare Products

Net revenues for the OTC segment in the fiscal third quarter were \$47.6 million, or 6% greater than the prior year comparable quarter. The increase resulted from sales of the new Chloraseptic® Allergen Block and Little Allergies® Allergen Block products, and sales increases in the Chloraseptic® and Little Remedies® base brands, New Skin® and Dermoplast®. Those gains were partially offset by declines in sales in the Clear Eyes®, Murine®, Compound W® and Wartner® brands.

Household Products

Net revenues for the household products segment in the third fiscal quarter were \$28.1 million, 6% lower than the prior year comparable quarter. This resulted primarily from sales declines in the Spic and Span® and Chore Boy® brands.

Personal Care Products

The smallest segment of the Company's business registered net revenues of \$4.5 million for the third fiscal quarter, 10.2% below last year's third quarter results of \$5.1 million. Sales increases in the Cutex® brand were offset by declines in the Denorex® and Prell® shampoo brands.

Free Cash Flow and Debt Repayment

Free cash flow is a "non-GAAP financial measure" as that term is defined by the Securities and Exchange Commission in Regulation G. We view "free cash flow" as an important measure because it is an indicator of cash available for debt repayment and to fund acquisitions. We define "free cash flow" as operating cash flow less capital expenditures.

The Company's free cash flow for the third quarter was \$16.4 million, an increase of 16% over the prior year comparable quarter. Free cash flow is composed of operating cash flow of \$16.7 million less capital expenditures of \$286,000. This compares to the prior year comparable quarter's free cash flow of \$14.1 million comprised of operating cash flow of \$14.3 million less capital expenditures of \$174,000. The free cash flow generated in the quarter enabled the Company to continue to build its cash position to

\$27.9 million at December 31, 2008 compared to \$12.8 million at September 30, 2008. The Company previously announced its intention to enhance its liquidity position by building its cash reserves to approximately \$30 million, and then to resume repayment of debt. Total indebtedness was reduced to \$384.3 million at December 31, 2008.

Year-To-Date Results

For the nine months period ended December 31, 2008, total revenues were \$241.9 million, 1.7% lower than the prior period comparable results of \$246.2 million. Operating income of \$61.7 million was 7.4% below the prior year comparable period results of \$66.6 million, largely as a result of increased advertising and promotion expenses and increased general and administrative expenses. Net income for the nine month period ended December 31, 2008 was \$24.3 million, 3.2% higher than the comparable period's results of \$23.6 million as lower interest expenses offset the operating income decline.

Conference Call

The Company will host a conference call to review its third quarter fiscal 2009 results on Thursday, February 5, 2009 at 8:30 am (EST). The toll free dial in number is 800-638-4817. International callers may dial 617-614-3943. The conference password is "prestige". We will have a live internet webcast of the call, as well as an archived replay, which can be accessed from the Investor Relations page of <u>www.prestigebrandsinc.com</u>. The archived replay will be available for two weeks following completion of the call. The dial in numbers are 888-286-8010 (domestic) and 617-801-6888 (international). The pass code for the replay is 10641677.

About Prestige Brands Holdings, Inc.

Located in Irvington, New York, Prestige Brands Holdings, Inc. is a marketer and distributor of brand name over-the-counter products, personal care and household products sold throughout the U.S., Canada and certain international markets. Key brands include Compound W(R) wart remover, Chloraseptic(R) sore throat and allergy treatment, New-Skin(R) liquid bandage, Clear eyes(R) and Murine(R) eye and ear care products, Little Remedies(R) pediatric over-the-counter products, Cutex(R) nail polish remover, Comet(R) and Spic and Span(R) household products, and other well-known brands.

Forward Looking Statements

Note: This news release contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the federal securities laws and is intended to qualify for the Safe Harbor from liability established by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. "Forward-looking statements" generally can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "assumptions," "target," "guidance," "outlook," "plans," "projection," "may," "will," "would," "expect," "intend," "estimate," "anticipate," "believe, "potential," or "continue" (or the negative or other derivatives of each of these terms) or similar terminology. The "forward-looking statements" include, without limitation, statements regarding the economic outlook for the Company and the demand for its products, and future cash flows from operations. These statements are based on management's estimates and assumptions with respect to future events and financial performance and are believed to be reasonable, though are inherently uncertain and difficult to predict. Actual results could differ materially from those projected as a result of certain factors. A discussion of factors that could cause results to vary is included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K and other periodic and other reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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Prestige Brands Holdings, Inc. Consolidated Statements of Operations (Unaudited)

		Three I Ended De	Nine Months Ended December 31			
(In thousands, except per share data)		2008	2007	2008		2007
Revenues						
Net sales	\$	79,657	\$ 79,644	\$ 239,942	\$	244,525
Other revenues		621	578	1,921		1,645
Total revenues		80,278	80,222	241,863		246,170
Cost of Sales						
Costs of sales		37,817	38,783	113,881		118,875
Gross profit		42,461	41,439	127,982		127,295
Operating Expenses						
Advertising and promotion		11,428	9,572	32,385		28,375
General and administrative		8,311	6,209	25,647		24,039
Depreciation and amortization		2,760	2,753	8,273		8,260
Total operating expenses		22,499	18,534	66,305		60,674
Operating income		19,962	22,905	61,677		66,621
Other (income) expense						
Interest income		(14)	(164)			(524)
Interest expense		7,065	9,490	22,656		29,132
Total other (income) expense		7,051	9,326	22,513		28,608
Income before income taxes		12,911	13,579	39,164		38,013
Provision for income taxes		4,893	5,160	14,843		14,445
Net income	\$	8,018	\$ 8,419	\$ 24,321	\$	23,568
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Basic earnings per share	\$	0.16	\$ 0.17	\$ 0.49	\$	0.47
Diluted earnings per share	<u>\$</u>	0.16	\$ 0.17	\$ 0.49	\$	0.47
Weighted average shares outstanding: Basic		49,960	49,799	49,921		49,744
Diluted		50,040	50,035	50,038		50,040

Prestige Brands Holdings, Inc. Consolidated Balance Sheets (Unaudited)

(In thousands)	December 31,		March 31,
Assets	2008		2008
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 27,93		
Accounts receivable	34,63		44,219
Inventories	28,75		29,696
Deferred income tax assets	3,51		3,066
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	2,84	3	2,316
Total current assets	97,67	4	85,375
Property and equipment	1,43	7	1,433
Goodwill	309,87	9	308,915
Intangible assets	638,80	3	646,683
Other long-term assets	5,13	9	6,750
Total Assets	<u>\$</u> 1,052,93	2 \$	1,049,156
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity			
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable	\$ 18,39	3 \$	
Accrued interest payable	2,45	5	5,772
Other accrued liabilities	13,20	7	8,030
Current portion of long-term debt	3,55	0	3,550
Total current liabilities	37,60	5	37,891
Long-term debt	380,78	8	407,675
Other long-term liabilities		-	2,377
Deferred income tax liabilities	129,57	5	122,140
Total Liabilities	547,96	8	570,083
Stockholders' Equity			
Preferred stock - \$0.01 par value			
Authorized – 5,000 shares			
Issued and outstanding – None		_	
Common stock - \$0.01 par value			
Authorized – 250,000 shares			
Issued – 50,060 shares	50	1	501
Additional paid-in capital	382,61		380,364
Treasury stock, at cost – 124 shares and 59 shares at	502,01	-	500,504
December 31 and March 31, 2008, respectively	(6	3)	(47)
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(1,66		(999)
Retained earnings	123,57		99,254
Total stockholders' equity	504,96	_	479,073
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$ 1,052,93	2 \$	1,049,156

Prestige Brands Holdings, Inc. Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

	Nine Months E	Jecember		
		31		
(In thousands)	2008		2007	
Operating Activities				
Net income	\$ 24,321	\$	23,568	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization	8,273		8,260	
Deferred income taxes	7,393		7,366	
Amortization of deferred financing costs	1,696		2,283	
Stock-based compensation	2,248		758	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities				
Accounts receivable	9,588		(3,810)	
Inventories	945		(486)	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	(527)		(66)	
Accounts payable	(2,450)		(795)	
Accrued liabilities	1,860		(1,772)	
Net cash provided by operating activities	53,347		35,306	
Investing Activities				
Purchases of equipment	(397)		(364)	
Business acquisition purchase price adjustments	(4,191)		(16)	
Net cash used for investing activities	(4,588)		(380)	
Financing Activities				
Repayment of long-term debt	(26,887)		(37,125)	
Purchase of common stock for treasury				
5	(16)		(5)	
Net cash used for financing activities	(26,903)		(37,130)	
Increase (Decrease) in cash	21,856		(2,204)	
Cash - beginning of period	6,078		13,758	
Cash - end of period	\$ 27,934	\$	11,554	
Interest paid	\$ 24,276	\$	29,828	
Income taxes paid	\$ 7,251	\$	6,911	
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Prestige Brands Holdings, Inc. Consolidating Statements of Operations (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended December 31, 200							
	Over-the- Counter Healthcare		Household Cleaning		Personal Care		Con	solidated
Net sales	\$	\$ 47,526		27,586	\$	4,545	\$	79,657
Other revenues		69		552				621
Total revenues		47,595		28,138		4,545		80,278
Cost of sales		16,892		18,253		2,672		37,817
Gross profit		30,703		9,885		1,873		42,461
Advertising and promotion		9,459		1,794		175		11,428
Contribution margin	\$	21,244	\$	8,091	\$	1,698		31,033
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Other operating expenses								11,071
Operating income								19,962
Other (income) expense								7,051
Provision for income taxes								4,893
Net income							\$	8,018
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	Nine Months Ended December 31, 2008																
	Over-the- Counter Healthcare		Household Cleaning		Personal Care		Cor	solidated									
Net sales	\$	\$ 137,090		137,090	137,090	137,090	\$ 137,090	137,090	137,090	137,090	137,090	\$	87,472	\$	15,380	\$	239,942
Other revenues		93		1,828				1,921									
Total revenues		137,183		89,300		15,380		241,863									
Cost of sales		47,667		57,113		9,101	_	113,881									
Gross profit		89,516		32,187		6,279		127,982									
Advertising and promotion		25,150	_	6,595		640		32,385									
Contribution margin	\$	64,366	\$	25,592	\$	5,639		95,597									
Other operating expenses								33,920									
Operating income								61,677									
Other (income) expense								22,513									
Provision for income taxes								14,843									
Net income							\$	24,321									

Prestige Brands Holdings, Inc. Consolidating Statements of Operations (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended December 31, 200							
	Over-the- Counter Healthcare		Household Cleaning		Personal Care		Con	solidated
Net sales	\$	\$ 45,015		29,568	\$	5,061	\$	79,644
Other revenues		51		527				578
Total revenues		45,066		30,095		5,061		80,222
Cost of sales		16,994	_	18,332		3,457		38,783
Gross profit		28,072		11,763		1,604		41,439
Advertising and promotion		7,045		2,271		256		9,572
Contribution margin	\$	21,027	\$	9,492	\$	1,348		31,867
Other operating expenses	<u> </u>		<u> </u>		<u> </u>	_,		8,962
Operating income								22,905
Other (income) expense								9,326
Provision for income taxes								5,160
Net income							\$	8,419
								2,110

	Nine Months Ended December 31, 2007									
	Over-the- Counter Healthcare		Household Cleaning		Personal Care		Co	nsolidated		
Net sales	\$ 137,444		\$	\$ 89,8	89,838	\$	17,243	\$	244,525	
Other revenues		51		1,566		28		1,645		
Total revenues		127 405		01 404		17 071		246 170		
Cost of sales		137,495 52,068		91,404 56,312		17,271 10,495		246,170 118,875		
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Gross profit		85,427		35,092		6,776		127,295		
Advertising and promotion		21,080		6,474		821		28,375		
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Contribution margin	\$	64,347	\$	28,618	\$	5,955		98,920		
Other operating expenses								32,299		
Operating income								66,621		
Other (income) expense								28,608		
Provision for income taxes								14,445		
Net income							\$	23,568		
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