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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington DC 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 AND 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For 06 November 2015

InterContinental Hotels Group PLC (Registrant's name)

Broadwater Park, Denham, Buckinghamshire, UB9 5HJ, United Kingdom (Address of principal executive offices)

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes No

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): Not applicable

99.1 Statement regarding press speculation

Exhibit No: 99.1

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6 November 2015

InterContinental Hotels Group PLC ("IHG")

Statement regarding press speculation

Following recent market speculation, the Board of Directors of IHG states that it is not considering a potential sale or merger of the company.

A copy of this announcement is also available on IHG's website at www.ihgplc.com.

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

InterContinental Hotels Group PLC

(Registrant)

By: /s/ H. Patel Name: H. PATEL

Title: COMPANY SECRETARIAL OFFICER

Date: 06 November 2015