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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) October 3, 2008 TeleTech Holdings, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-11919 84-1291044

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employee Identification No.)

9197 S. Peoria Street, Englewood, Colorado

80112

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (303) 397-8100

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- o 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.

(e) Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

As previously discussed in our Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC on February 20, 2008, the Board of Directors of TeleTech Holdings, Inc. (the Company) determined that in the case of stock options erroneously issued with exercise prices that were lower than the fair market value on the appropriate accounting measurement dates, the Company would pay the taxes assessed upon employees (including named executive officers) under Internal Revenue Code Section 409A, including tax gross-ups, to make the employees whole for any adverse tax consequences arising as a result of the vesting or exercise of such options in 2006 and 2007 (collectively, the 409A Payments). Beginning on October 3, 2008, the Company made the following 409A Payments (relating to stock options exercised in 2006) to the IRS and applicable state taxing authorities on behalf of the following two executive officers who were named in the Summary Compensation Table of the Company's definitive proxy statement (as filed with the SEC on August 7, 2008): (i) \$141,739.31 on behalf of Gregory G. Hopkins, Executive Vice President of Global Accounts; and (ii) \$1,350.10 on behalf of Brian J. Delaney, Executive Vice President and Chief Operations Officer.

SIGNATURE

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.

TeleTech Holdings, Inc.

Date: October 9, 2008

By: /s/ Kenneth D. Tuchman

Kenneth D. Tuchman

Chief Executive Officer