ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N V

Form 8-K January 12, 2009

# 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): January 12, 2009

Orthofix International N.V. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Netherlands Antilles (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 0-19961 (Commission File Number) N/A (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

7 Abraham de Veerstraat
Curacao
Netherlands Antilles
(Address of principal executive offices)

N/A (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 011-59-99-465-8525

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))

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#### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

On January 12, 2009, Orthofix International N.V. (the "Company") issued a press release (the "press release") announcing, among other things, the Company affirming of its prior revenue guidance for the fourth quarter 2008. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and attached hereto.

This information shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth in the specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01.	Financial	Statements	and Exhibits
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(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press release of Orthofix International N.V. dated January 12, 2009.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

#### ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N.V.

Date: January 12, 2009

By: /s/ Raymond C. Kolls
Name: Raymond C. Kolls

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and

Corporate Secretary