

Prospectus Supplement
 Dated August 13, 1999

The Prospectus dated August 13, 1999 relating to the offer for resale of up to \$361,000,000 aggregate principal amount of The Interpublic Group of Companies, Inc.'s 1.87% Convertible Subordinated Notes due 2006, and such shares of common stock as may be issued upon conversion of the notes, is hereby supplemented to include the following table under the heading "Selling Securityholders" on page 25:

| Selling Securityholders ----- | Principal Amount of Registered Notes ----- |
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| American Fidelity Assurance Company | 170,000 |
| American Public Entity Excess Pool | 40,000 |
| American Republic Insurance Company | 380,000 |
| Associated Electric & Gas Insurance Services Limited | 480,000 |
| AXP Variable Portfolio--Bond Fund | 250,000 |
| AXP Variable Portfolio--Managed Fund | 600,000 |
| AXP Bond Fund, Inc | 1,400,000 |
| Baltimore Life Insurance Company | 130,000 |
| Banque Nationale De Paris | 500,000 |
| BS Debt Income Fund - Class A | 10,000 |
| CALAMOS(R)Convertible Fund-CALAMOS(R)Investment Trust | 2,277,000 |
| CALAMOS(R)Convertible Portfolio-CALAMOS(R)Advisors Trust | 10,000 |
| CALAMOS(R)Global Growth and Income Fund-CALAMOS(R) Investment Trust | 140,000 |
| CALAMOS(R)Growth and Income Fund-CALAMOS(R)Investment Trust | 425,000 |
| CALAMOS(R)Market Neutral Fund-CALAMOS(R)Investment Trust | 20,000 |
| Central States Life Insurance Company of Omaha | 250,000 |
| Century National Insurance Company | 700,000 |
| City of Knoxville Pension System | 616,000 |
| Champion International Corporation Master Retirement Trust | 2,150,000 |
| Chrysler Corporation Master Retirement Trust | 4,285,000 |
| CIBC World Markets International Arbitrage Corp | 8,000,000 |
| Convexity Partners | 300,000 |
| CSA Fraternal Life Insurance Company | 60,000 |
| Delta Airlines Master Trust1 | 5,785,000 |
| Dorinco Reinsurance Company | 1,500,000 |
| Employee Benefit Convertible Securities Fund | 340,000 |
| Equity & Convertible Fund | 1,720,000 |
| Farmers Home Mutual Insurance Company | 140,000 |
| Fort Dearborn Life Insurance Company | 200,000 |
| Frontier Insurance Company | 500,000 |
| General Electric Mortgage Insurance Corporation | 4,500,000 |
| Genesee County Employees' Retirement System | 575,000 |
| Greek Catholic Union | 35,000 |
| Guaranty Income Life Insurance Company | 400,000 |
| Indiana Lumbermens Mutual Insurance | 400,000 |
| Integrity Mutual Insurance Company | 290,000 |
| ISBA Mutual Insurance Company | 100,000 |
| Jackson County Employees' Retirement System | 450,000 |
| Julius Baer Securities | 1,125,000 |
| Kettering Medical Center Funded Depreciation Account | 165,000 |
| Knoxville Utilities Board Retirement System | 424,000 |
| Lipper Convertibles, L.P. | 7,850,000 |
| Lipper Offshore Convertibles, L.P. | 18,930,000 |
| Lipper Offshore Convertibles, L.P. #2 | 1,300,000 |
| Lipper Convertibles Series II, L.P. | 1,050,000 |
| Macomb County Employees' Retirement System | 375,000 |
| McMahan Securities Company, L.P. | 100,000 |
| Medmarc Insurance Company | 200,000 |
| Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc. | 1,085,000 |
| Michigan Mutual Insurance Company | 440,000 |
| Millville Mutual Insurance Company | 100,000 |
| Morgan Stanley Dean Witter2 | 5,000,000 |
| Motion Picture Industry Health Plan--Active Member Fund | 520,000 |
| Motion Picture Industry Health Plan--Retiree Member Fund | 260,000 |
| MSC Life | 20,000 |
| National Union Fire Insurance Co. of Pittsburgh | 1,000,000 |
| Nations Capital Income Fund | 3,600,000 |
| NCMIC | 220,000 |
| New Era Life Insurance Company | 150,000 |
| New York Life Insurance Company | 11,200,000 |
| New York Life Insurance and Annuity Corporation | 2,000,000 |

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| Oak Casualty Insurance Company | 50,000 |
| OCM Convertible Limited Partnership | 110,000 |
| OCM Convertible Trust | 2,345,000 |
| Old Guard Insurance Company | 200,000 |
| Pacific Innovations Trust Capital Income Fund | 340,000 |
| Partner Reinsurance Company Ltd. | 455,000 |
| Physicians' Reciprocal Insurers Account #7 | 3,250,000 |
| Port Authority of Allegheny County Retirement and Disability Allowance Plan for the Employees Represented by Local 85 of the Amalgamated Transit Union | 2,000,000 |
| Premera Blue Cross | 1,500,000 |
| Premera Health Plus | 100,000 |
| Quattro Offshore Fund Ltd. | 1,000,000 |
| Raytheon Company Pension Trust | 2,025,000 |
| Secura Insurance, A Mutual Company | 210,000 |
| Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance Company | 1,400,000 |
| SPT | 1,900,000 |
| State Employees' Retirement Fund of the State of Delaware | 1,495,000 |
| Texas Builders Insurance Company | 60,000 |
| Texas Hospital Insurance Exchange | 20,000 |
| The Dow Chemical Company Employees' Retirement Plan | 3,725,000 |
| The Fondren Foundation | 130,000 |
| The TCW Group, Inc. | 25,725,000 |
| The Travelers Indemnity Company | 3,360,000 |
| The Travelers Insurance Company | 2,146,000 |
| The Travelers Insurance Company Separate Account TLAC | 252,000 |
| The Travelers Series Managed Assets Trust | 121,000 |
| The Travelers Series Trust Convertible Bond Portfolio | 121,000 |
| Unifi, Inc. Profit Sharing Plan and Trust | 230,000 |
| United Food and Commercial Workers Local 1262 and Employers Pension Fund | 900,000 |
| Vanguard Convertible Securities Fund, Inc. | 3,145,000 |
| Van Waters & Rogers, Inc. Retirement Plan (f.k.a. Univar Corporation) | 545,000 |
| Westfield Life Insurance Company | 700,000 |
| Westward Life Insurance Company | 130,000 |
| Wisconsin Mutual Insurance Company | 90,000 |
| Zazove Convertible Securities Fund, Inc. | 1,200,000 |
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| Total | 158,222,000 |
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1 Calamos(R) Asset Management, Inc. manages \$4,045,000 of the notes beneficially owned by Delta Airlines Master Trust, and Oaktree Capital Management, LLC manages \$1,740,000 of the notes beneficially owned by Delta Airlines Master Trust.

2 Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated, an affiliate of Morgan Stanley Dean Witter, was an initial purchaser of the 1.87% Convertible Subordinated Notes due 2006, when the notes were originally sold in a private placement. In addition, Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated was also an initial purchaser of Interpublic's 1.80% Convertible Subordinated Notes due 2004 when those notes were originally sold in a private placement. As of August 9, 1999, Morgan Stanley Dean Witter held \$1,383,000.00 of Interpublic's 1.80% Convertible Subordinated Notes due 2004.