

Prospectus Supplement
Dated October 1, 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 information in the "Selling Securityholders" table in the Prospectus Supplement dated August 13, 1999:

Selling Securityholders	Principal Amount of Registered Notes
Mainstay Convertible Fund.....	\$2,000,000
Fidelity Financial Trust: Fidelity Convertible Securities Fund (1).....	5,500,000

Total of Above.....	\$7,500,000
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(1) Fidelity Financial Trust: Fidelity Convertible Securities Fund is the owner of 30,800 shares of the common stock of The Interpublic Group of Companies, Inc.