

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

Form 6-K

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

For the month of **March 2009**

Commission File Number 001-31269

ALCON, INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Bösch 69
P.O. Box 62
6331 Hünenberg, Switzerland
41-41-785-8888
(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Yes ☐ No ☒

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Attached as Exhibit 99.1 is the Press Release issued by Alcon, Inc. on March 2, 2009.

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.

Alcon, Inc.
(Registrant)

Date March 3, 2009

By /s/ Stefan Basler
Name: Stefan Basler
Title: Attorney-in-fact

Date March 3, 2009

By /s/ Elaine Whitbeck
Name: Elaine Whitbeck
Title: Corporate Secretary and General Counsel