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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 6-K

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

For the month of January 2009

Commission File No. 333-05752

CNH GLOBAL N.V.

(Translation of Registrant's Name Into English)

World Trade Center

Tower B, 10th Floor

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The Netherlands

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(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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Yes No X

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List of Exhibits:

1. News Release entitled, **CNH Global N.V. Sets Timing for 4th Quarter 2008 Earnings Release and Conference Call with Analysts .**

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.

CNH Global N.V.

By: /s/ Rubin J. McDougal
Rubin J. McDougal
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CNH Global N.V. Sets Timing for 4th Quarter 2008 Earnings

Release and Conference Call with Analysts

BURR RIDGE, ILL., - (January 12, 2009) - CNH Global N.V. (NYSE: CNH) will release fourth quarter financial results after the close of the U.S. market on Wednesday, January 21, 2009. The full text of the release, along with the financial statements, will be available both from Marketwire and on <http://www.cnh.com>.

On January 22 at approximately 7:00 a.m. Central time, CNH will provide a live, listen-only, audio Webcast of the company's quarterly conference call with security analysts and institutional investors. The Webcast can be accessed either through <http://www.cnh.com> or CCBN's individual investor center at <http://www.earnings.com>. Anyone unable to listen to the live Webcast can access the replay at either site for two weeks following the event.

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