

New Gold Inc. /FI  
Form 6-K  
May 12, 2008

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U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 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 May, 2008  
Commission File Number 1-31722

NEW GOLD INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

595 Howe Street, Suite #601, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada V6C 2T5  
(604) 687-1629

(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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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes        No   

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EXHIBIT INDEX

The following is a list of Exhibits included as part of this Report on Form 6-K:

99.1 Metallica Resources, New Gold and Peak Gold Announce Signing of Definitive Agreement for US\$1.6 Billion Business Combination

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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.

NEW GOLD INC.

(Registrant)

Date: May 12, 2008

By: /s/ "John Pitcher"

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John Pitcher,  
General Counsel and Secretary

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