#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

### FORM 8-K

### CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): October 18, 2013

HARBINGER GROUP INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

1-4219

(Commission File No.)

74-1339132 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

**450 Park Avenue, 30<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10023** (Address of principal executive offices)

(212) 906-8555

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

# Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On October 18, 2013, Spectrum Brands Holdings, Inc. ("Spectrum Brands"; NYSE: SPB), a majority owned subsidiary of Harbinger Group Inc. ("HGI"; NYSE: HRG), issued a press release announcing that it will issue its fiscal 2013 fourth quarter and full year financial results and host a live conference call and webcast on Thursday, November 21, 2013. Interested parties should read Spectrum Brands' announcements and public filings regarding the date, time and access information and any related changes with respect to the foregoing.

This information shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and is not incorporated by reference into any filing of HGI, whether made before or after the date of this report.

## 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.

# HARBINGER GROUP INC.

By: /s/ Ehsan Zargar

Name: Ehsan Zargar Title: Vice President, Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Dated: October 18, 2013