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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 October 2004

Commission File Number 1-14858

CGI Group Inc.

(Translation of Registrant s Name Into English)

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(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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

Form 20-F Form 40-F |X|

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Yes No |X|

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Enclosure: Press Release dated October 7, 2004.

This Form 6-K shall be deemed incorporated by reference in the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-8, Reg. Nos. 333-13350, 333-66044, 333-74932 and 333-112021.

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PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CGI confirms date for release of fourth quarter and fiscal 2004 results

Montreal, Quebec, October 7, 2004 CGI Group (NYSE: GIB; TSX: GIB.A) today confirmed that it will hold its fourth quarter conference call on Tuesday, November 9, 2004 at 9:00 am (EDT). During the call, Serge Godin, chairman & CEO, André Imbeau, executive vice president & CFO, and Paule Doré, executive vice president & chief corporate officer, will discuss CGI s financial results for the fourth quarter and fiscal year ended September 30, 2004. The financial results will be released before markets open on the same day, November 9, 2004.

Please note that, as usual, CGI will issue preliminary results for the fourth quarter. These preliminary results, comprised only of revenue and net earnings, will be issued on November 2, 2004. There will be no conference call on November 2, 2004.

Participants may listen to the November 9 call by dialing (800) 387-6216 or through the Internet at www.cgi.com. Supporting slides for the call will also be available at www.cgi.com.

For those unable to participate on the live call, a webcast and copy of the slides will be archived at www.cgi.com.

About CGI

Founded in 1976, CGI is among the largest independent information technology and business process services firms in North America. CGI and its affiliated companies employ approximately 25,000 professionals. CGI provides end-to-end IT and business process services to clients worldwide from offices in Canada, the United States, Europe, Asia Pacific as well as from centers of excellence in India and Canada. CGI s annualized revenue run rate is currently CDN\$3.8 billion (US\$2.8 billion) and at June 30, 2004, CGI s order backlog was CDN\$13.2 billion (US\$9.8 billion). CGI s shares are listed on the TSX (GIB.A) and the NYSE (GIB) and are included in the S&P/TSX Composite Index as well as the S&P/TSX Capped Information Technology and MidCap Indices. Website: www.cgi.com.

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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.

CGI GROUP INC. (Registrant)

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Date: October 8, 2004 By /s/ Paule Doré
Name: Paule Doré

Title: Executive Vice-President

and Chief Corporate Officer

and Secretary