

RIO TINTO PLC
Form 6-K
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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 2010**

Commission file number: 001-10533

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Rio Tinto plc

Rio Tinto Limited

ABN 96 004 458 404

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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Melbourne, Victoria 3000, Australia

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrants have duly caused this report to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorised.

Rio Tinto plc
(Registrant)

By /s/ Ben Mathews
Name
Ben Mathews
Title Secretary
Date 5 February 2010

Rio Tinto Limited
(Registrant)

By /s/ Ben Mathews
Name
Ben Mathews
Title Assistant Secretary
Date 5 February 2010