

WILLBROS GROUP INC

Form 424B3

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**Prospectus Supplement No. 8**  
**(To Prospectus dated May 4, 2007)**

**4,280,714**  
**SHARES**  
**WILLBROS GROUP, INC.**  
**COMMON STOCK**

This prospectus supplement relates to the resale by the holders of shares of common stock and common stock underlying warrants sold in a private placement on October 27, 2006.

This prospectus supplement No. 8 supplements and amends the prospectus dated May 4, 2007, as supplemented and amended by that certain prospectus supplement No. 1 dated May 10, 2007, that certain prospectus supplement No. 2 dated May 17, 2007, that certain prospectus supplement No. 3 dated May 24, 2007, that certain prospectus supplement No. 4 dated May 30, 2007, that certain prospectus supplement No. 5 dated June 8, 2007, that certain prospectus supplement No. 6 dated August 7, 2007 and that certain prospectus supplement No. 7 dated as of August 9, 2007 (the Prospectus ). This prospectus supplement should be read in conjunction with the Prospectus, which is to be delivered with this prospectus supplement.

The information in the table appearing under the heading Selling Stockholders in the Prospectus is supplemented by the information appearing in the table below. The information below was furnished to us by the selling stockholders listed below on or before August 14, 2007. To the extent any selling stockholders identified below are broker-dealers, they may be deemed to be, under interpretations of the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, underwriters within the meaning of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Name of Selling Stockholder	Number of Shares Owned Prior to Offering	Maximum	Number	Percentage
		Number of Shares to be Sold Pursuant to this Prospectus(1)	of Shares Owned After Offering(2)	Beneficially Owned After Offering(2)
OTA LLC(3)(4)	42,858	42,858	0	*
RCG Sextant Master Fund, Ltd.(5)(6)	492,867	492,867	0	*

\* Less than 1%

(1) Represents the maximum number of shares of common stock issued to the selling stockholders and those issuable to the selling stockholders

upon exercise of the warrants at the initial exercise price of \$19.03 per share. The amounts shown in this column may include shares sold prior to the date of this prospectus supplement.

- (2) Assumes that each selling stockholder sells all shares of common stock being registered under this registration statement. However, to our knowledge, there are no agreements, arrangements or understandings with respect to the sale of any shares of our common stock, and each selling stockholder may decide to sell only a portion or none of its shares of our common stock that are registered under this registration statement.
- (3) Mr. Ira M. Leventhal, a senior managing director of this selling stockholder, has

voting and  
investment  
control over the  
securities held  
by this selling  
stockholder.

(4) This selling  
stockholder has  
identified itself  
as a registered  
broker-dealer.

(5) Ramius Capital  
Group, L.L.C.  
( Ramius  
Capital ) is the  
investment  
adviser of RCG  
Sextant Master  
Fund, Ltd. and  
consequently  
has voting  
control and  
investment  
discretion over  
securities held  
by RCG Sextant  
Master Fund,  
Ltd. Ramius  
Capital  
disclaims  
beneficial  
ownership of  
the shares held  
by

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RCG Sextant  
Master Fund,  
Ltd. Peter A.  
Cohen, Morgan  
B. Stark,  
Thomas W.  
Strauss and  
Jeffrey M.  
Solomon are the  
sole managing  
members of  
C4S & Co.,  
L.L.C., the sole  
managing  
member of  
Ramius Capital.  
As a result,  
Messrs. Cohen,  
Stark, Strauss  
and Solomon  
may be  
considered  
beneficial  
owners of any  
shares deemed  
to be  
beneficially  
owned by  
Ramius Capital.  
Messrs. Cohen,  
Stark, Strauss  
and Solomon  
disclaim  
beneficial  
ownership of  
these shares.

- (6) This selling  
stockholder has  
identified itself  
as an affiliate of  
a registered  
broker-dealer  
and has  
represented to  
us that such  
selling  
stockholder  
acquired its

common stock in the ordinary course of business and, at the time of the purchase of the common stock, such selling stockholder had no agreements or understandings, directly or indirectly, with any person to distribute the common stock. To the extent we become aware that such selling stockholder did not acquire its common stock in the ordinary course of business or did have such an agreement or understanding, we will file a prospectus supplement or a post-effective amendment to the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part to designate such affiliate an underwriter within the meaning of the Securities Act of 1933.

**There are significant risks associated with an investment in our securities. These risks are described under the caption Risk Factors beginning on page 6 of the Prospectus, as the same may be updated in prospectus supplements.**

**Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or determined if this prospectus supplement or the accompanying Prospectus is**

**truthful or complete. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.**

The date of this prospectus supplement is August 16, 2007.