# 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

April 02, 2009

Commission File Number	Translation of registrant's name into English; Address of principal executive offices  BHP Billiton Limited (ABN 49 004 028 077) 180 LONSDALE STREET, MELBOURNE, VICTORIA 3000 AUSTRALIA  BHP Billiton Plc (REG. NO. 3196209) NEATHOUSE PLACE, VICTORIA, LONDON, UNITED KINGDOM		
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information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the

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Yes \_ No <u>X</u>

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#### BHP BILLITON FINANCE PLC - PUBLICATION OF SUPPLEMENTARY PROSPECTUS

The following Supplementary Prospectus has been approved by the UK Listing Authority and is available for viewing:

Supplementary Prospectus dated 24 March 2009 relating to the Prospectus dated 7 October 2008 for the EUR 10,000,000,000 Euro Medium Term Note Programme of BHP Billiton Finance Limited and BHP Billiton Finance Plc, guaranteed (in respect of Notes issued by BHP Billiton Finance Limited) by BHP Billiton Limited and (in respect of Notes issued by BHP Billiton Finance Plc) by BHP Billiton Plc.

To view the full Supplementary Prospectus, plus the document referred to therein, please paste the following URLs into the address bar of your browser.

http://www.rns-pdf.londonstockexchange.com/rns/4217P\_2-2009-3-24.pdf

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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.

BHP Billiton Limited (ABN 49 004 028 077)

By: <u>/s/ Jane McAloon</u>
Name: Jane McAloon

Title: Group Company Secretary