

ENCORE ACQUISITION CO
Form 8-K
February 22, 2010

**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): February 22, 2010

ENCORE ACQUISITION COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

001-16295

75-2759650

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

(Commission
File Number)

(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

777 Main Street, Suite 1400, Fort Worth, Texas

76102

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(817) 877-9955**

Not applicable

(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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
 - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On February 22, 2010, Encore Acquisition Company (EAC) issued a press release providing, among other things, its unaudited results for the fourth quarter and full year of 2009 and a liquidity update. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

In the press release, EAC uses the non-GAAP financial measures (as defined under the SEC's Regulation G) of Adjusted EBITDAX and net income (loss) excluding certain items. The press release contains reconciliations of these non-GAAP measures to EAC's most directly comparable financial performance and liquidity measures calculated and presented in accordance with GAAP.

The information being furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 of this Form 8-K and in Exhibit 99.1 shall not be deemed to be filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be incorporated by reference into a filing under the Securities Act of 1933, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

The exhibit listed below is being furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 of this Form 8-K:

99.1 Press Release dated February 22, 2010 regarding unaudited fourth quarter and full year of 2009 results.

SIGNATURE

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 hereunto duly authorized.

ENCORE ACQUISITION COMPANY

Date: February 22, 2010

By: /s/ Andrea Hunter
Andrea Hunter
*Vice President, Controller, and
Principal Accounting Officer*

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

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