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Vulcan Materials CO Form 8-K August 06, 2008 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): August 5, 2008

VULCAN MATERIALS COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey 001-33841 20-8579133 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer

of incorporation) Identification No.)

1200 Urban Center Drive

Birmingham, Alabama 35242

(Address of principal executive offices) (zip code)

(205) 298-3000

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

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:

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

The Registrant's earnings release dated August 5, 2008, regarding its second quarter financial results is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits:

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Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Earnings Release dated August 5, 2008.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

VULCAN MATERIALS COMPANY

(Registrant)

By: /s/ William F. Denson, III

Dated: August 5, 2008 William F. Denson, III