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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): MAY 29, 2008

MESA AIR GROUP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

000-15495

85-0302351 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

(Commission File Number) **410 North 44th Street, Suite 100**

Phoenix, Arizona, 85008

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (602) 685-4000

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On May 29, 2008, Mesa Air Group, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing that the Company won a preliminary injunction in Federal Court in Atlanta enjoining Delta Air Lines (Delta) from terminating its Connection Agreement with the Company, and the Company s wholly-owned subsidiary, Freedom Airlines, Inc. (Freedom) (the

Connection Agreement). The ruling was issued earlier today by the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia (the District Court).

The Company had previously reported that on March 28, 2008, Delta had notified the Company of its intent to terminate the Connection Agreement. The Connection Agreement includes, among other arrangements, the Company s agreement to operate 34 model ERJ-145 regional jets leased by the Company utilizing Delta s name. In fiscal 2007, the Connection Agreement accounted for approximately 20% of the Company s 2007 total revenues. Delta sought to terminate the Connection Agreement as a result of Freedom s alleged failure to maintain a specified completion rate with respect to its ERJ-145 Delta Connection flights during three months of the six-month period ended February 2008.

On April 7, 2008, the Company filed a lawsuit against Delta alleging breach of the Connection Agreement and seeking specific performance by Delta of its obligations thereunder. On May 9, 2008, the Company filed a motion for a preliminary injunction in the District Court against Delta to prevent its wrongful termination of the Delta Connection Agreement. The hearing for this matter commenced on May 27, 2008 and ended earlier today following the District Court s ruling in favor of the Company.

The full text of the Company s press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release regarding Injunction victory in Delta litigation, dated May 29, 2008

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

MESA AIR GROUP, INC.

Date: May 29, 2008

By: /s/ Brian S. Gillman Name: Brian S. Gillman Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary