

ELECTRO SCIENTIFIC INDUSTRIES INC
Form 8-K
July 24, 2008

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): July 24, 2008

ELECTRO SCIENTIFIC INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

OREGON
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

0-12853
(Commission

File Number)

93-0370304
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

13900 NW Science Park Drive, Portland, Oregon
(Address of principal executive offices)

97229
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (503) 641-4141

No Change

(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:

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On July 24, 2008, Electro Scientific Industries, Inc. (the Company) announced its financial results for the first quarter of fiscal 2009. The Company s press release announcing this event is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated July 24, 2008

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.

Date: July 24, 2008.

Electro Scientific Industries, Inc.

By: /s/ Nicholas Konidaris

Name: Nicholas Konidaris

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer