

PERINI CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 19, 2007

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): December 18, 2007

**Perini Corporation**

*(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)*

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**Massachusetts**  
*(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)*

**1-6314**  
*(Commission file number)*

**04-1717070**  
*(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)*

**73 Mt. Wayte Avenue, Framingham, MA 01701**

*(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)*

*Registrant's telephone number, including area code***(508) 628-2000**

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None

*(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)*

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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))

**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors;  
Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

Effective December 18, 2007, James A. Cummings resigned from the Board of Directors of Perini Corporation (the Company ). Mr. Cummings will retire as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of James A. Cummings, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, as of January 31, 2008.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be filed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Perini Corporation

Dated: December 19, 2007

By: /s/Kenneth R. Burk

Kenneth R. Burk

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer