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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): October 15, 2008

MISSION WEST PROPERTIES, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland Commission File 95-2635431
Number:
(State or other jurisdiction 1-8383 (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) Identification)

10050 Bandley Drive, Cupertino, CA 95014 (Address of principal executive offices)

(408) 725-0700 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

(a) The following information is being furnished by the Company as required for Item 2.02(a) of this report and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934:

On October 15, 2008, the Company issued a press release announcing its earnings results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2008. The press release is attached to this Current Report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference in response to Item 2.02(a) of this report.

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.

MISSION WEST PROPERTIES, INC.

Date: October 15, 2008 By: /s/ Wayne N. Pham

Wayne N. Pham

Vice President of Finance and Controller