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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 28, 2008 Layne Christensen Company

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware 000-20578 48-0920712

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1900 Shawnee Mission Parkway Mission Woods, Kansas 66205 (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(913) 362-0510

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 28, 2008, the Registrant issued a press release reporting earnings and other financial results for the quarter ended July 31, 2008. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1

Press Release issued by Layne Christensen Company, dated August 28, 2008.

SIGNATURES

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

Layne Christensen Company

(Registrant)

Date: August 28, 2008 By /s/ A. B. Schmitt

Name: A. B. Schmitt

Title: President and Chief Executive

Officer

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