STARBUCKS CORP Form 8-K January 30, 2008

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 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): January 30, 2008 STARBUCKS CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Washington

0-20322

91-1325671

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

2401 Utah Avenue South, Seattle, Washington 98134

(Address of principal executive offices)

(206) 447-1575

(Registrant s Telephone Number, including Area Code)

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 30, 2008, Starbucks Corporation (the Company) issued an earnings release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended December 30, 2007. A copy of the earnings release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On January 30, 2008, the Company announced that its Board of Directors had authorized the repurchase by the Company of up to an additional 5 million shares of its common stock. The announcement was contained in the earnings release attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits. (d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Earnings release of Starbucks Corporation dated January 30, 2008 for the quarter ended December 30, 2007

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, thereunto duly authorized.

STARBUCKS CORPORATION

Dated: January 30, 2008

By: /s/ Peter J. Bocian Peter J. Bocian executive vice president, chief financial officer and chief administrative officer

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