

MOTIVE INC  
Form 8-K  
February 20, 2008

# 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):

February 20, 2008

## MOTIVE, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

000-31409  
(Commission File Number)

74-2834515  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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12515 Research Boulevard, Building 5

Austin, Texas  
(Address of principal executive offices)

78759-2220  
(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number including area code: (512) 339-8335

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address if changed from 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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  
- .. Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  
- .. 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 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On February 20, 2008, Motive, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release announcing its preliminary financial results for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2007. Motive intends to present additional information during a related conference call to be held on February 20, 2008. (On February 14, 2008, Motive issued a press release to advise interested parties of the earnings release and conference call scheduled for February 20th.)

The February 20 press release and the related conference call contain forward-looking statements regarding the Company and include cautionary statements identifying important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those anticipated. The press release issued February 20, 2008 is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information set forth in the attached Exhibit 99.1 is deemed to be furnished and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Unless expressly incorporated into a filing of the Company under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 made after the date hereof, the information furnished in Exhibit 99.1 shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing of the Company, whether made before or after the date hereof, regardless of any general incorporation language in any such filing.

99.1 Press release dated February 20, 2008.

**SIGNATURES**

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.

MOTIVE, INC.

Date: February 20, 2008

By: /s/ Mike Fitzpatrick  
Mike Fitzpatrick  
Chief Financial Officer

**INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

| <b>EXHIBIT<br/>NUMBER</b> | <b>DESCRIPTION</b>                     |
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| 99.1                      | Press release dated February 20, 2008. |