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ERESEARCHTECHNOLOGY INC /DE/ Form 8-K February 26, 2008

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: February 26, 2008 (Date of earliest event reported) eResearchTechnology, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware0-2910022-3264604(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)(Commission (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

30 South 17th Street, Philadelphia, PA

19103

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

215-972-0420

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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:

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- 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 February 26, 2008, eResearchTechnology, Inc. issued a press release reporting its results of operations for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2007 and providing financial guidance for both the first quarter of and full year 2008. A copy of that press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated February 26, 2008 of eResearchTechnology, Inc.

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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.

eResearchTechnology, Inc. (Registrant)

Date: February 26, 2008 By: /s/ Richard A. Baron

Richard A. Baron

Executive Vice President and Chief

Financial Officer

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Exhibit No. Exhibit

99.1 Press Release dated February 26, 2008 of eResearchTechnology, Inc.