

PERKINELMER INC  
Form 8-K  
April 30, 2009  
UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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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): April 30, 2009

**PerkinElmer, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Massachusetts**                      **001-05075**      **04-2052042**  
(State or Other Juris-              (Commission      (IRS Employer  
diction of Incorporation)      File Number)      Identification No.)

**940 Winter Street, Waltham, Massachusetts**      **02451**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)                      (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(781) 663-6900**

**Not applicable.**

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since 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))

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**Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On April 30, 2009, PerkinElmer, Inc. announced its financial results for the quarter ended April 5, 2009. The full text of the press release issued in connection with the announcement is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information in this Form 8-K (including Exhibit 99.1) shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the “Exchange Act”) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit relating to Item 2.02 shall be deemed to be furnished, and not filed:

99.1 Press Release entitled “PerkinElmer Announces Financial Results for the First Quarter of 2009”, issued by PerkinElmer, Inc. on April 30, 2009.

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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.

PERKINELMER, INC.

Date: April 30, 2009 By: /s/ Michael L. Battles

Michael L. Battles

Acting Chief Financial Officer, Vice President,

Chief Financial Officer-Human Health, and Chief Accounting Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit</u> <u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
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