

AMERICAN VANGUARD CORP
Form 8-K
September 17, 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 (date of earliest event reported): September 15, 2008

AMERICAN VANGUARD CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-13795
Commission File Number

95-2588080
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

4695 MacArthur Court

Newport Beach, California 92660

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number: (949) 260-1200

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

Item 8.01 Other Events

On September 15, 2008, American Vanguard Corporation issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors has declared a cash dividend of \$0.03 per share of the company's common stock for shareholders of record as of September 26, 2008. The full text of that press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated September 15, 2008 of American Vanguard Corporation.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, American Vanguard Corporation has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

AMERICAN VANGUARD CORPORATION

Date: September 17, 2008

By: /s/ Timothy J. Donnelly
Timothy J. Donnelly

Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary

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Title:

Senior Vice President and General Counsel