

FORWARD AIR CORP  
Form 8-K  
April 20, 2011

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

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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 20, 2011 (April 20, 2011)

FORWARD AIR  
CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as  
specified in its charter)

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| Tennessee<br>(State or other<br>jurisdiction of<br>incorporation) | 000-22490<br>(Commission<br>File Number) | 62-1120025<br>(I.R.S.<br>Employer<br>Identification<br>No.) |
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|---|---------------------|
| 430 Airport Road<br>Greeneville,<br>Tennessee<br>(Address of<br>principal<br>executive offices) | 37745<br>(Zip Code) |
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (423) 636-7000

Not Applicable  
(Former name or former

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address, if changed since last  
report)

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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SECTION 2. FINANCIAL INFORMATION.

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference is a copy of a press release, dated April 20, 2011, announcing the financial results of Forward Air Corporation for the first quarter ended March 31, 2011.

SECTION 9. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is being furnished as part of this Report.

| No.  | Exhibit  |
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| 99.1 | Press<br>Release of<br>Forward Air<br>Corporation<br>dated April<br>20, 2011 |

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.

FORWARD AIR CORPORATION

Date: April 20,  
2011

By: /s/ Rodney L. Bell  
Rodney L. Bell  
Chief Financial Officer, Senior  
Vice President and Treasurer

EXHIBIT INDEX

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