HUNGARIAN TELEPHONE & CABLE CORP

Form 8-K June 30, 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): June 30, 2008

HUNGARIAN TELEPHONE AND CABLE CORP.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware 1-11484 13-3652685

(IRS Employer

(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission

Identification

of Incorporation) File Number) No.)

1201 Third Avenue, Suite #3400 Seattle, Washington 98101-3034

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(206) 654-0204

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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)

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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 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure\*

On June 30, 2008, Hungarian Telephone and Cable Corp. announced in a press release that it has retained the investment banking firm of BNP Paribas Corporate Finance to assist it in evaluating strategic alternatives for the company. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits\*

- (d) Exhibits
  - 99.1 Press Release dated June 30, 2008

<sup>\*</sup> The information furnished under Item 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including the exhibit attached hereto under Item 9.01, shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (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 shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

### **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, thereunto duly authorized.

HUNGARIAN TELEPHONE AND CABLE CORP.

Date: June 30, 2008 By: /s/ Peter T.

Noone Peter T. Noone General Counsel

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Exhibit Description of Document Number

99.1 Press Release dated June 30, 2008