

WOODWARD GOVERNOR CO  
Form 8-K  
January 21, 2009

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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):

January 20, 2009

Woodward Governor Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

0-8408

36-1984010

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

1000 E. Drake Road, Fort Collins, Colorado

80525

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

970-482-5811

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:

- 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))

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

On January 20, 2009, Woodward Governor Company (the "Registrant") reported its results of operations for its fiscal first quarter ended December 31, 2008. A copy of the news release issued by the Registrant concerning the foregoing results is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits:

99.1 Press Release of Woodward Governor Company dated January 20, 2009

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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.

Woodward Governor Company

*January 21, 2009*

By: *A. Christopher Fawzy*

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*Name: A. Christopher Fawzy  
Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate  
Secretary*

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<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release of Woodward Governor Company dated January 20, 2009