

FUEL TECH, INC.  
Form 8-K  
September 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) September 25, 2008**

**FUEL TECH, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-33059**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**20-5657551**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**Fuel Tech, Inc.  
27601 Bella Vista Parkway  
Warrenville, IL 60555-1617  
630-845-4500**

(Address and telephone number of principal executive offices)

**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 provision:**

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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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**Item 8.01 Other Events**

On September 25, 2008, the Registrant announced the signing of a definitive agreement to acquire substantially all of the assets of Durham, North Carolina-based Tackticks, LLC and FlowTack, LLC for a total cash consideration of \$4 million. The transaction is expected to close on or about October 1, 2008, with the full purchase price being funded with cash on hand. The Registrant does not consider the transaction to be material to its business or consolidated financial position. The announcement referencing the transaction is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report on Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of September 25, 2008 issued by Fuel Tech, Inc.

**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.

**Fuel Tech, Inc.**  
(Registrant)

Date: September 30, 2008

By: /s/ John P. Graham

John P. Graham  
Chief Financial Officer, Sr. Vice  
President and Treasurer