

MIDDLESEX WATER CO  
Form 8-K  
March 12, 2009

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: March 12, 2009

MIDDLESEX WATER COMPANY  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| NEW JERSEY<br>(State or other jurisdiction of<br>incorporation or organization) | 0-422<br>(Commission<br>File Number) | 22-1114430<br>(I.R.S. Employer<br>Identification No.) |
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1500 RONSON ROAD, P.O. BOX 1500, ISELIN, NEW JERSEY 08830  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(732)-634-1500  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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



Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On March 12, 2009, Middlesex Water Company (the "Company") announced its financial results for the year ended December 31, 2008. A copy of the press release announcing these financial results is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated into this Form 8-K by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

| Exhibit Number | Description of Document  |
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| 99.1           | Press Release issued by Middlesex Water Company, dated March 12, 2009, announces 2008 Financial Results. |

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 of the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MIDDLESEX WATER COMPANY  
(Registrant)

s/Kenneth J. Quinn  
Kenneth J. Quinn  
Vice President, General Counsel,  
Secretary and Treasurer

Dated: March 12, 2009