

NightHawk Radiology Holdings Inc  
Form 8-K  
April 10, 2008

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, DC 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)

April 7, 2008

**NIGHTHAWK RADIOLOGY HOLDINGS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**000-51786**  
(Commission File Number)

**87-0722777**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

**250 Northwest Boulevard, Suite 202**

**Coeur d Alene, Idaho 83814**

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(208) 676-8321**

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**

(Former name or former 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))

**Item 5.02. Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

On April 7, 2008, the Compensation Committee of our Board of Directors approved the Annual Performance-Based Incentive Program for our named executive officers (the Annual Performance-Based Incentive Program). The amounts that are eligible to be paid pursuant to the Annual Performance-Based Incentive Program are tied to our achievement of certain financial objectives described more fully below. For each of our named executive officers, the maximum bonus potential for 2008 is equal to 100% of such executive's base salary.

The amounts payable under the Annual Performance-Based Incentive Program are dependent upon our achievement of target levels of revenue and adjusted earnings per share, with the revenue component being given 1/3 weight and the adjusted earnings per share component being given 2/3 weight in determining overall bonus levels.

If the Company achieves less than 90% of the target for adjusted earnings per share, then no amounts will be paid under the Annual Performance-Based Incentive Program for 2008.

Annual Revenue Target Component

For every 1% the Company exceeds a threshold of 90% of the annual revenue target (up to 110% of the annual revenue target), each officer's incentive compensation will be increased by 1.667%. Thus, for example, if the Company reaches 100% of the annual revenue target, each officer will be eligible to receive 16.67% of the officer's maximum incentive compensation potential for such fiscal pay period. Likewise, for example, if the Company reaches 110% of the annual revenue target, each officer will be eligible to receive 33.34% of the officer's maximum incentive compensation potential for such fiscal pay period.

Annual Adjusted EPS Target Component

For every 1% the Company exceeds a threshold of 90% of the annual adjusted EPS target (up to 110% of the annual adjusted EPS target), each officer's incentive compensation will be increased by 3.33%. Thus, for example, if the Company reaches 100% of the annual adjusted EPS target, each officer will be eligible to receive 33.33% of the officer's maximum incentive compensation potential for such fiscal pay period. Likewise, for example, if the Company reaches 110% of the annual adjusted EPS target, each officer will be eligible to receive 66.66% of the officer's maximum incentive compensation potential for such fiscal pay period.

**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.

Date: April 7, 2008

**NIGHTHAWK RADIOLOGY HOLDINGS, INC.**

By: /s/ Paul E. Cartee  
Paul E. Cartee  
Vice President and General Counsel