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CENTEX CORP Form 8-K October 12, 2007

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

CURRENT REPORT

FORM 8-K

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported):

October 12, 2007

Centex Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada 1-6776 75-0778259 other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (IRS Employe

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2728 N. Harwood Street, Dallas, Texas

75201

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant s telephone number including area code: (214) 981-5000

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address if changed from 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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o 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 October 12, 2007, Centex Corporation, a Nevada corporation (the Corporation), reported selected preliminary results of operations for the quarter ended September 30, 2007. The Corporation reported its estimate of home closings, net sales (orders) and impairments and option write-offs for the quarter. A copy of the Corporation s press release announcing these preliminary results is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is hereby incorporated in this Item 2.02 in its entirety by reference.

The information furnished in this Item 2.02 shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit		
Number		Description
99.1	Press Release dated October 12, 2007	

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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.

By: /s/ James R. Peacock III

Name: James R. Peacock III

Title: Vice President, Deputy General

Counsel and Secretary

Date: October 12, 2007

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