

RAYTHEON CO/  
Form 8-K  
July 26, 2012

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): July 26, 2012

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RAYTHEON COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware                 | 1-13699                  | 95-1778500                              |
| (State of Incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (IRS Employer<br>Identification Number) |

870 Winter Street, Waltham, Massachusetts 02451  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(781) 522-3000  
(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))
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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On July 26, 2012, Raytheon Company issued a press release announcing financial results for the fiscal quarter ended July 1, 2012. A copy of the press release is furnished with this report as Exhibit 99.1. The information in this report, including Exhibit 99.1, is furnished in accordance with SEC Release No. 33-8216 and shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the “Exchange Act”) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release issued by Raytheon Company dated July 26, 2012.

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.

RAYTHEON COMPANY

Date: July 26, 2012

By:

/s/ Michael J. Wood

Michael J. Wood

Vice President, Controller and Chief Accounting Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

| Exhibit No. | Description                                                   |
|-------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
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