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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: November 5, 2008

(Date of earliest event reported)

UNIVERSAL CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Virginia (State or Other Jurisdiction

1-652 (Commission File Number)

54-0414210 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

Identification No.)

1501 North Hamilton Street

Richmond, Virginia 23230 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

(804) 359-9311

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- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- " Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " 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.

The Registrant issued a press release on November 6, 2008, discussing its results for the quarter ended September 30, 2008. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated by reference into this Item 2.02.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On November 5, 2008, the Registrant issued a press release announcing quarterly dividends for the Registrant s common stock and preferred stock. The press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

No. Description

- 99.1 Press release dated November 5, 2008, announcing quarterly dividends.*
- 99.2 Press release dated November 6, 2008, announcing results for the quarter ended September 30, 2008.*

^{*} Filed Herewith

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

UNIVERSAL CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Date: November 6, 2008 By: /s/ Preston D. Wigner

Preston D. Wigner

Vice President, General Counsel and Chief

Compliance Officer

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Exhibit

NumberDocument99.1Press release dated November 5, 2008, announcing quarterly dividends.*99.2Press release dated November 6, 2008, announcing results for the quarter ended September 30, 2008.*

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