FORRESTER RESEARCH INC Form 8-K September 05, 2008

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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 (Date of Earliest Event Reported): September 3, 2008 FORRESTER RESEARCH, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** 

000-21433

04-2797789

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

#### 400 Technology Square Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139

(Address, of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(617) 613-6000

(Registrant s Telephone number including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changes since 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:

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#### ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS.

On September 3, 2008, Forrester Research, Inc. (Forrester) received a Wells Notice from the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) in connection with the previously disclosed ongoing SEC investigation into Forrester's historical stock option granting practices. The Wells Notice notifies Forrester that the staff of the SEC (Staff) intends to recommend that the SEC file a civil action against Forrester for possible violations of the securities laws. Under the process established by the SEC, recipients have the opportunity to respond in writing (Wells Submission) to a Wells Notice before the Staff makes any formal recommendation to the Commission regarding what action, if any, should be brought by the SEC. In connection with the contemplated recommendation, the Staff may seek remedies, including among other things, a permanent injunction and a civil penalty. Forrester intends to provide a Wells Submission to the SEC. There can be no assurance that the SEC will not bring civil enforcement action against Forrester.

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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.

#### FORRESTER RESEARCH, INC.

By /s/ Gail S. Mann Name: Gail S. Mann Title: Chief Legal Officer

Date: September 5, 2008

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