

MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS INC

Form 8-K

December 15, 2008

**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):**

**December 15, 2008**

**MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS, INC.**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of

**000-51026**  
(Commission File Number)

**77-0466789**  
(I.R.S. Employer

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incorporation or organization)

Identification Number)

**6409 Guadalupe Mines Road**

**San Jose, California 95120**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

**(408) 826-0600**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01. Other Events**

On December 15, 2008, Monolithic Power Systems, Inc., a Delaware corporation, issued a press release announcing revised earnings guidance for the fourth quarter ending December 31, 2008. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**(d) Exhibits.**

| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>  |
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| 99.1               | Press Release issued on December 15, 2008 announcing revised earnings guidance for the quarter ending December 31, 2008 |

**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, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: December 15, 2008

By:

/s/ C. Richard Neely, Jr.  
**C. Richard Neely, Jr.**  
**Chief Financial Officer**

**(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer**

**and Duly Authorized Officer)**

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