NEWFIELD EXPLORATION CO /DE/ Form 8-K April 24, 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): April 23, 2008

NEWFIELD EXPLORATION COMPANY (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

1-12534 **Delaware** 72-1133047 (State or other jurisdiction (I.R.S. Employer (Commission File Number) Identification No.)

of incorporation)

363 N. Sam Houston Parkway E., Suite 2020 Houston, Texas 77060

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (281) 847-6000 **Not Applicable**

(Former name or former address, if changed 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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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) 0

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On April 23, 2008, Newfield issued a press release announcing its first quarter 2008 financial and operating results and second quarter 2008 earnings guidance. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On April 23, 2008, Newfield issued its @NFX publication, which includes first quarter 2008 highlights, full year and second quarter 2008 guidance and tables detailing complete hedging positions as of April 23, 2008. A copy of this publication is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.2.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (d) Exhibits
 - 99.1 Press release issued by Newfield Exploration Company on April 23, 2008.
 - 99.2 @NFX publication issued by Newfield Exploration Company on April 23, 2008.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this Form 8-K to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

NEWFIELD EXPLORATION COMPANY

Date: April 24, 2008 By: /s/ TERRY W. RATHERT

Terry W. Rathert

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

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Exhibit No.	Description
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