NISOURCE INC/DE Form 8-K August 05, 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): August 4, 2008 NiSource Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) Commission file number <u>001-16189</u>

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

801 East 86th Avenue Merrillville, Indiana

35-2108964

(I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

46410

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area cod<u>e (877) 647-599</u>0 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.

o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On August 4, 2008, NiSource Inc. (the Company) reported its financial results for the quarter ended June 30, 2008. The Company s press release, dated August 4, 2008, is attached as Exhibit 99.1. <u>ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS</u> (d) Exhibits

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Description

99.1 Press Release, dated August 4, 2008, issued by NiSource Inc.

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.

NiSource Inc. (Registrant)

Date: August 5, 2008

By:

/s/ Jeffrey W. Grossman Jeffrey W. Grossman Vice President and Controller

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