# 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):

May 1, 2008

## **ULTRALIFE BATTERIES, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

## **Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

0-2085216-1387013(Commission File Number)(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2000 Technology Parkway, Newark, New York 14513 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(315) 332-7100

(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:
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☐ 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.

Ultralife (the "Company") reported revenue of \$49.6 million for its first quarter of 2008, an increase of 53% compared with \$32.3 million reported in the same three-month period in 2007. Operating income for the quarter was \$2.4 million compared with \$0.6 million last year.

The Company's press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K. The information set forth in this Form 8-K and the attached exhibit is being furnished to and not filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except to the extent specifically provided in any such filing.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financials and Exhibits.

(a) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated May 1, 2008.

## SIGNATURE

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.

ULTRALIFE BATTERIES, INC.

Dated: May 1, 2008

By: /s/ Robert W. Fishback

Robert W. Fishback

Vice President of Finance and CFO

# (99) Additional Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated May 1, 2008.

#### **Ultralife Reports First Quarter Results**

NEWARK, N.Y.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Ultralife (NASDAQ: ULBI) reported revenue of \$49.6 million for its first quarter of 2008, an increase of 53% compared with \$32.3 million reported in the same three-month period in 2007. Operating income for the quarter was \$2.4 million compared with \$0.6 million last year.

Revenue in the first quarter rose \$17.3 million over the same quarter last year primarily due to strong sales of advanced communications systems related to three major contracts announced in the latter half of 2007, and an increase in design and installation services revenue related to the contribution from RedBlack Communications and Stationary Power Services, acquired in September 2007 and November 2007, respectively. As a percentage of revenue, gross margin for the first quarter of 2008 was 22%, compared to 23% in the same quarter a year ago.

Operating expenses for the first quarter of 2008 totaled \$8.5 million, up from \$6.9 million a year ago. The \$1.6 million increase includes \$0.8 million related to the addition of RedBlack and Stationary Power and \$0.8 million related to incremental sales and marketing efforts and higher administrative costs related to operating a larger organization.

Net income for the first quarter of 2008 was \$2.4 million, or \$0.14 per diluted share, compared with a net loss of \$36,000, or \$0.00 per share, for the same quarter in 2007. Included in first quarter 2008 results was a \$0.3 million non-operating gain related to the early conversion of the \$10.5 million debt held by the sellers of McDowell Research into 700,000 shares of common stock.

"In the first quarter we delivered advanced communications systems against planned schedules as the supply delays we experienced in the fourth quarter were resolved, and production is currently on track to meet delivery schedules," said John D. Kavazanjian, president and chief executive officer. "In other areas of the business, we made progress with the integration of both RedBlack Communications and Stationary Power Services; began to implement our expansion plans for Stationary Power, opening offices in Atlanta and Dallas; and continued to expand automotive telematics batteries into additional model platforms. Based on a strong backlog of orders and firm demand in all areas of our business, we continue to plan for full year revenue of at least \$238 million in 2008 while devoting product development and sales resources to creating new opportunities with prime contractors, government entities and commercial customers to drive sustainable profitable growth for the company."

#### Outlook

For the second quarter of 2008, the company forecasts revenue in the range of \$60 million to \$70 million and operating income in the range of \$4.5 million to \$7.0 million. For the full year 2008, the company forecasts revenue of at least \$238 million.

#### **About Ultralife**

Ultralife, which began as a battery company, now offers products and services ranging from portable and standby power solutions to communications and electronics systems. Through its engineering and collaborative approach to problem solving, Ultralife serves government, defense and commercial customers across the globe.

Ultralife's family of brands includes: Ultralife Batteries, Stationary Power Services, Reserve Power Systems, ABLE, McDowell Research and RedBlack Communications. Ultralife's operations are in North America, Europe and Asia. For more information, visit www.ulbi.com.

This press release may contain forward-looking statements based on current expectations that involve a number of risks and uncertainties. The potential risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially include: worsening global economic conditions, increased competitive environment and pricing pressures, disruptions related to restructuring actions and delays. Further information on these factors and other factors that could affect Ultralife's financial results is included in Ultralife's Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) filings, including the latest Annual Report on Form 10-K.

#### **Conference Call Information**

Investors are invited to listen to a live webcast of the conference call at 10:00 a.m. ET on May 1, 2008 at <a href="http://investor.ultralifebatteries.com">http://investor.ultralifebatteries.com</a>. To listen to the live call, please go to the web site at least fifteen minutes early to download and install any necessary audio software. For those who cannot listen to the live broadcast, a replay of the webcast will be available shortly after the call at the same location for 90 days. Investors may also listen to a telephone replay of the conference call by dialing 888-203-1112, Reservation 6845119, during the period starting at 1:00 p.m. ET May 1 and ending at 1:00 p.m. ET May 9, 2008.

# ULTRALIFE BATTERIES, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (In Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts) (Unaudited)

	Three-Month Periods Ended				
	March 29, 2008		March 31, 2007		
Revenues:  Non-rechargeable products Rechargeable products Communications systems Design and installation services	\$	14,616 6,738 24,054 4,179	\$	18,158 5,529 8,491 142	
Total revenues		49,587		32,320	
Cost of products sold:  Non-rechargeable products Rechargeable products Communications systems Design and installation services Total cost of products sold		11,560 5,537 17,933 3,682 38,712		13,610 4,167 6,971 71 24,819	
Gross margin		10,875		7,501	
Operating expenses: Research and development Selling, general, and administrative Total operating expenses		1,609 6,903 8,512		1,614 5,296 6,910	
Operating income		2,363		591	
Other income (expense): Interest income Interest expense Gain on insurance settlement Gain on debt conversion Miscellaneous Income (loss) before income taxes		11 (329) 39 313 82 2,479		14 (657) - - 16 (36)	
Income tax provision (benefit)-current Income tax provision (benefit)-deferred Total income taxes		54 (9) 45		- - -	
Net income (loss)	\$	2,434	\$	(36)	
Earnings (loss) per share - basic Earnings (loss) per share - diluted	\$	0.14	<u>\$</u>	(0.00)	
Weighted average shares outstanding - basic		17,027		15,078	

Weighted average shares outstanding - diluted

17,479

15,078

# ULTRALIFE BATTERIES, INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (In Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts) (unaudited)

	March 29,			December 31,	
ASSETS		2008		2007	
Current assets:	¢	734	¢	2.245	
Cash and investments	\$	39,396	\$	2,245 26,540	
Trade accounts receivable, net Inventories		39,396 40,225		26,540 35,098	
		2,754		4,410	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets					
Total current assets		83,109		68,293	
Property and equipment		18,855		19,365	
Other assets					
Goodwill, intangible and other assets		33,877		34,390	
Total Assets	\$	135,841	\$	122,048	
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Current liabilities:	Φ.	1.4.210	¢.	10,400	
Short-term debt and current portion of long-term debt	\$	14,319	\$	13,423	
Accounts payable Other current liabilities		21,226		18,326 10,083	
		15,859			
Total current liabilities		51,404		41,832	
Long-term liabilities:					
Long-term debt and capital lease obligations		5,235		16,224	
Other long-term liabilities		855		985	
Total long-term liabilities		6,090		17,209	
Minority interest in equity of subsidiaries		11		-	
Shareholders' equity:					
Common stock, par value \$0.10 per share		1,798		1,712	
Capital in excess of par value		164,746		152,070	
Accumulated other comprehensive income		202		69	
Accumulated deficit		(86,009)		(88,443)	
		80,737		65,408	
Less Treasury stock, at cost		2,401		2,401	
Total shareholders' equity	-	78,336		63,007	
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Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$	135,841	\$	122,048	

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