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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):

January 22, 2009

FIDELITY SOUTHERN

CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Georgia No. 000-22374 No. 58-1416811

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

3490 Piedmont Road, Suite 1550

Atlanta, Georgia 30305

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

(404) 639-6500

Not applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On January 23, 2009, Fidelity Southern Corporation (Fidelity) issued a press release announcing its board of directors on January 22, 2009 approved the distribution of a stock dividend on February 13, 2009 of one new share for every 200 shares held on the record date of February 2, 2009. A copy of this press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

This Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release issued on January 23, 2009

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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.

/s/ Stephen H. Brolly Stephen H. Brolly Chief Financial Officer

January 23, 2009