ACCELR8 TECHNOLOGY CORP Form 8-K April 01, 2008

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

	FORM 8-K RENT REPORT		
Pursi	uant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Se	curities Exchange Act of 1934	
	April 1, 200	98	
	Date of Report (Date of earlie	est event reported):	
	ACCELR8 TECHNOLOGY CO	ORPORATION	
	(Exact name of registrant as spec		04.1072256
	<u>Colorado</u>	<u>0-11485</u>	<u>84-1072256</u>
	(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
,	7000 North Broadway, Building 3-3	07, Denver, CO 80221	
	(Address of principal exec	utive offices)	
	(303) 863-880	8	
	Registrant s telephone number,	including area code:	
(F	Former name or former address, if ch	nanged since last report.)	
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#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On April 1, 2008, Accelr8 Technology Corporation issued a press release announcing it had agreed in principle with Becton, Dickinson and Company (BD) to terms for an agreement with respect to Accelr8 s BACcel rapid bacterial diagnostic system. Under the contemplated agreement, BD will fund an 18-month milestone project starting April 1, 2008.

BD will also have the option to license the technology for product development, manufacturing, and commercialization for the clinical diagnosis of infectious diseases.

The definitive agreement is expected to be signed before April 30, 2008.

A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99,1 Press Release dated as of April 1, 2008, announcing agreement in principal with BD

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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.

Date: April 1, 2008 ACCELR8 TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION

By: /s/ Thomas V. Geimer

Thomas V. Geimer, Chief Executive Officer