

PREFERRED APARTMENT COMMUNITIES INC  
Form 8-K  
March 14, 2012

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

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**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): **March 14, 2012**

**Preferred Apartment Communities, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Maryland	001-34995	27-1712193
(State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

3625 Cumberland Boulevard, Suite 400, Atlanta, Georgia	30339
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)	(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(770) 818-4100**

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

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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 Conditions.**

On March 14, 2012, the Company announced its financial results for the fourth quarter of 2011. A copy of the Company's earnings press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report on Form 8-K. A copy of the Company's Supplemental Financial Data for the fourth quarter of 2011 is furnished as Exhibit 99.2 to this report on Form 8-K.

This information, including Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 attached hereto, is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. This information, including the exhibits, shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, regardless of any incorporation by reference language in any of those filings.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) *Exhibits.*

99.1 Press Release issued March 14, 2012

99.2 Preferred Apartment Communities, Inc.'s Supplemental Financial Data for the period ended December 31, 2011

**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.

**PREFERRED APARTMENT COMMUNITIES, INC.**

(Registrant)

Date: March 14, 2012 By: /s/ John A. Williams  
John A. Williams  
President and Chief Executive Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release issued March 14, 2012
99.2	Preferred Apartment Communities, Inc.'s Supplemental Financial Data for the period ended December 31, 2011