

Watson Wyatt Worldwide, Inc.

Form 8-K

February 11, 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): February 11, 2008

**WATSON WYATT WORLDWIDE, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**Delaware**

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**001-16159**

**52-2211537**

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

**901 N. Glebe Road, Arlington, VA 22203**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

**703-258-8000**

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

**n/a**

(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))

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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

In a press release on February 11, 2008, Watson Wyatt Worldwide, Inc. (the "Company") announced the authorization to repurchase up to \$100 million of the Company's class A common stock. A copy of the Company's press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) Exhibits. The following exhibit is furnished with this report:

| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>  |
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| 99.1               | Watson Wyatt Worldwide Announces Authorization to Repurchase Shares |

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