

ADVANCED BATTERY TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Form 8-K

December 09, 2008

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

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FORM 8-K

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CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

COMMISSION FILE NO.: 0-13337

Date of Report: December 8, 2008

ADVANCED BATTERY TECHNOLOGIES, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware  
(State of other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

22-2497491  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

21 West 39th Street, Suite 2A, New York, New York  
(Address of principal executive offices)

10018  
(Zip Code)

212-391-2752  
(Registrant's telephone number including area code)

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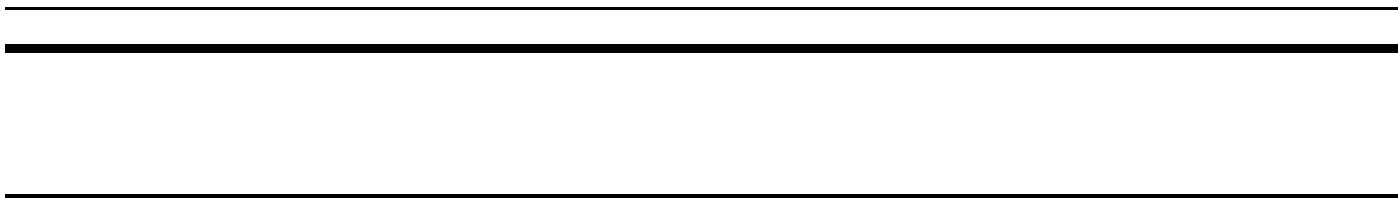
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Item 8.01

Other Matters

On December 8, 2008 Advanced Battery Technologies issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors had approved a stock repurchase program. The program authorizes the Company to purchase, on the public market, up to 4 million shares of the Company's common stock during the next twelve months.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibits

99. Press release dated December 8, 2008.

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.

Dated: December 9, 2008

ADVANCED BATTERY TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: /s/ Fu Zhiguo  
Fu Zhiguo, Chief Executive Officer