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## **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): July 29, 2008 VALERO ENERGY CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-13175 (Commission File Number)

74-1828067 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

One Valero Wav San Antonio, Texas

78249

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (210) 345-2000

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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## Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On July 29, 2008, Valero Energy Corporation (the Company) issued a press release announcing financial results for the Company s second quarter 2008 earnings. A copy of the press release is furnished with this report as Exhibit 99.01 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information in this report is being furnished, not filed, pursuant to Item 2.02 of Form 8-K. Accordingly, the information in this report, including the press release, will not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement filed by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, unless specifically identified therein as being incorporated therein by reference.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99.01 Press release dated July 29, 2008.

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### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

## VALERO ENERGY CORPORATION

Date: July 29, 2008 By: /s/ Jay D. Browning

Jay D. Browning

Senior Vice President and Secretary

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