

VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC  
Form 8-K  
April 28, 2008

**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**

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Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **April 28, 2008**

**VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| <b>Delaware</b>                                   | <b>0-16244</b>              | <b>11-2989601</b>                    |
| (State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation) | (Commission<br>File Number) | (IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |

**100 Sunnyside Boulevard, Suite B, Woodbury, New York 11797**

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

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(516) 677-0200

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not applicable**

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

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):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Section 2 - Financial Information**

**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On April 28, 2008, Veeco issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2008. In connection with the release and the related conference call, Veeco posted a presentation relating to its first quarter 2008 financial results on its website (www.veeco.com). Copies of the press release and presentation are furnished as Exhibit 99.1 and Exhibit 99.2 to this report.

The information in this report, including the exhibits, 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 under that Section, nor shall it be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

**Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) *Exhibits.*

| <b>Exhibit</b> | <b>Description</b>   |
|----------------|--|
| 99.1           | Press release issued by Veeco Instruments Inc. dated April 28, 2008. |
| 99.2           | Veeco Q1 2008 Financial Data Presentation dated April 28, 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.

**VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC.**

April 28, 2008

By:

*/s/ Gregory A. Robbins*

Gregory A. Robbins  
Senior Vice President and General Counsel

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