

STARBUCKS CORP  
Form 8-K  
July 28, 2011

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, DC 20549

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities and Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 28, 2011

**STARBUCKS CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Washington  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

0-20322  
(Commission  
File Number)

91-1325671  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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**2401 Utah Avenue South, Seattle, Washington 98134**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**(206) 447-1575**  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, including Area Code)

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:

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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 Condition.**

On July 28, 2011, Starbucks Corporation issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended July 3, 2011. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

| No.  | Description                                                   |
|------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| 99.1 | Earnings release of Starbucks Corporation dated July 28, 2011 |

**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: July 28, 2011

**STARBUCKS CORPORATION**

By:       /s/ Troy Alstead  
Troy Alstead  
chief financial officer and chief  
  
administrative officer

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