

Luminent LLC  
Form 425  
June 25, 2008

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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):

June 19, 2008

Luminent Mortgage Capital, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland

001-31828

06-1694835

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

1515 Market Street, Suite 2000, Philadelphia,  
Pennsylvania

19102

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

215-564-5900

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:

- 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))



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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

Appointment of New Chief Investment Officer

On June 19, 2008, we appointed Barry D. Weiss, CFA as our Senior Vice President and Chief Investment Officer effective June 30, 2008. From 2000 to 2008, Mr. Weiss was employed by HarbourView Asset Management & Oppenheimer Funds Inc. where he served in various portfolio management roles most recently as its Vice President/Portfolio Manager, in charge of making investment decisions and setting portfolio strategy. Previously, he worked at Fitch IBCA, Inc., where he was an Associate Director in the Structured Finance Group. Prior to joining Fitch IBCA in 1996, Mr. Weiss spent eight years in the Office of the Mayor, Office of Management and Budget of the City of New York.

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On June 23, 2008 and June 24, 2008, we issued press releases. A copy of those press releases is furnished as Exhibit 99 to this report.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K (including the exhibit incorporated into this Item 7.01 by reference) is being provided under Item 7.01 of Form 8-K and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document filed pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

We previously announced that Luminent LLC, our affiliate, filed a Form S-4 registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 28, 2008, as amended by Amendment No. 1 filed on June 10, 2008, with respect to our proposed conversion to a publically traded partnership.

Luminent LLC's Form S-4 registration statement contains a preliminary proxy statement/prospectus relating to our 2008 annual meeting of stockholders and other relevant documents in connection with the proposed restructuring. The definitive proxy statement/prospectus will be mailed to our stockholders when it becomes available. **OUR STOCKHOLDERS ARE ADVISED TO READ THE PROXY STATEMENT/PROSPECTUS WHEN IT BECOMES AVAILABLE AND ANY OTHER RELEVANT DOCUMENTS FILED WITH THE SEC, AS WELL AS ANY AMENDMENTS OR SUPPLEMENTS TO THOSE DOCUMENTS, BECAUSE THEY WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION.**

The proxy statement/prospectus and other relevant materials, when they become available, may be obtained free of charge at the SEC's web site at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov). In addition, investors and stockholders may obtain free copies of the documents by contacting Karen Chang, Luminent Mortgage Capital, Inc., 1515 Market Street, Suite 2000, Philadelphia, PA 19102; telephone: (215) 564-5900.

We and our directors, executive officers and other members of our management and employees may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies from our stockholders in connection with the proposed merger. Information concerning such participants' ownership of our common stock will be set forth in the proxy statement/prospectus when it becomes available. This communication does not constitute an offer of any securities for sale.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibit No. Exhibit Description  
99.1 Press release dated June 23, 2008  
99.2 Press release dated June 24, 2008

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**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.

Luminent Mortgage Capital, Inc.

*June 25, 2008*

By: */s/ KAREN CHANG*

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*Name: KAREN CHANG*

*Title: SVP, Chief Financial Officer*

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<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press release dated June 23, 2008
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