## 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): February 14, 2008 (February 11, 2008)

## FORWARD AIR CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Tennessee	000-22490	62-1120025
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
430 Airport Road Greeneville, Tennessee		37745
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
(Former n	Not Applicable ame or former address, if changed since last rep	ort)
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Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K any of the following provisions:	filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the	filing obligation of the registrant under
☐ 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 C	FR 240.14d-2(b))
□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))		

#### **SECTION 8. OTHER EVENTS.**

#### Item 8.01. Other Events.

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference is a copy of a press release, dated February 14, 2008, announcing that the Company's Board of Directors has declared a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.07 per share of common stock. The dividend is payable to the Company's shareholders of record at the close of business on March 12, 2008, and is expected to be paid on March 26, 2008.

### SECTION 9. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is being furnished as part of this Report.

No.	Exhibit
99.1	Press Release of Forward Air Corporation dated February 14, 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.

## FORWARD AIR CORPORATION

Date: February 14, 2008 By:/s/ Rodney L. Bell

Rodney L. Bell

Senior Vice President, CFO and Treasurer

# EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Press Release of Forward Air Corporation dated February 14, 2008.

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#### Forward Air Corporation Announces Authorization and Declaration of Quarterly Cash Dividend

GREENEVILLE, Tenn.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Forward Air Corporation (NASDAQ:FWRD) today announced that its Board of Directors has declared a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.07 per share of common stock. The dividend is payable to shareholders of record at the close of business on March 12, 2008, and is expected to be paid on March 26, 2008.

This quarterly dividend is pursuant to a cash dividend policy approved by the Board of Directors, which anticipates a total annual dividend of \$0.28 per share of common stock, payable in quarterly increments of \$0.07 per share of common stock. The actual declaration of future cash dividends, and the establishment of record and payment dates, is subject to final determination by the Board of Directors each quarter after its review of the Company's financial performance.

#### **About Forward Air**

Forward Air is a high-service-level contractor to the air cargo industry providing time-definite ground transportation services through a network of 85 terminals located on or near major airports in the United States and Canada. The Company provides these services as a cost-effective alternative to air transportation of cargo that must be delivered at a specific time but is relatively less time-sensitive than traditional air freight or when air transportation is not economical.

#### **Important Information**

This press release contains "forward-looking statements," as defined in Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Forward-looking statements are statements other than historical information or statements of current condition and relate to future events or our future financial performance. Some forward-looking statements may be identified by use of such terms as "believes," "anticipates," "intends," "plans," "estimates," "projects" or "expects." Such forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause our actual results, performance or achievements to be materially different from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. The following is a list of factors, among others, that could cause actual results to differ materially from those contemplated by the forward-looking statements: economic factors such as recessions, inflation, higher interest rates and downturns in customer business cycles, our inability to maintain our historical growth rate because of a decreased volume of freight moving through our network or decreased average revenue per pound of freight moving through our network, increasing competition and pricing pressure, surplus inventories, loss of a major customer, the creditworthiness of our customers and their ability to pay for services rendered, our ability to secure terminal facilities in desirable locations at reasonable rates, the inability of our information systems to handle an increased volume of freight moving through our network, changes in fuel prices, claims for property damage, personal injuries or workers' compensation, employment matters including rising health care costs, enforcement of and changes in governmental regulations, environmental and tax matters, the handling of hazardous materials, the availability and compensation of qualified independent owner-operators and freight handlers

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