## 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): May 5, 2008

### Clarus Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

0-24277 58-1972600 <u>Delaware</u> (State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer of incorporation) Identification Number) One Landmark Square, 22nd Floor, Stamford, Connecticut 06901 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (203) 428-2000 N/A (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)

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))

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On May 5, 2008, the Registrant issued an earnings press release announcing financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2008. A copy of the earnings press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

The earnings press release contains the non-GAAP financial measure, gross cash per share because the Registrant believes that it is useful to investors assessing the extent of the Registrant's assets available for redeployment. The Registrant has provided a reconciliation within the earnings release of the non-GAAP financial gross cash per share to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure. The Registrant's management, however, cannot provide any assurance that the above-referenced non-GAAP financial measure is comparable to similarly titled financial measures presented by other publicly-traded companies. The non-GAAP financial measure described above should be considered in addition to, but not as a substitute for, measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with GAAP that are presented in the earnings release.

The information in this Form 8-K and the Exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

<u>Exhibit</u> <u>Description</u>

Press Release dated May 5, 2008, with respect to the Registrant's financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2008 (furnished only).

### **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: May 5, 2008

## **CLARUS CORPORATION**

By: /s/ Philip A. Baratelli

Name: Philip A. Baratelli, Title: Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

# EXHIBIT INDEX

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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#### **Clarus Announces First Quarter 2008 Results**

**STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT** — May 5, 2008 — Clarus Corporation (OTC:CLRS.PK) today announced financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2008. Clarus reported no revenues for the quarters ended March 31, 2008 and 2007, respectively. Net loss for the first quarter of 2008 increased \$0.6 million, to \$417,000 or \$0.02 per diluted share compared to net income of \$0.2 million or \$0.01 per diluted share during the comparable period of 2007. The decrease in net income was primarily a result of a \$255,000 decrease in interest income due to lower rates on our cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities and a \$366,000 increase in general and administrative costs including \$131,000 in non-cash equity compensation expense.

As of March 31, 2008, Clarus' cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities were \$87.0 million, (or \$5.00 gross cash per share) compared to \$87.1 million as of December 31, 2007. Gross cash per share at March 31, 2008 equals cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities of \$87.0 million divided by 17.4 million common shares outstanding. Clarus has provided this Non-GAAP measure because it believes that it is useful to investors assessing the extent of Clarus' assets available for redeployment. Clarus is unaware of any comparable GAAP measure.

Clarus estimates that it has available net operating loss, research and experimentation credit and alternative minimum tax credit carryforwards for U.S. federal income tax purposes of approximately \$223.4 million, \$1.3 million and \$56,000, respectively, which expire in varying amounts between 2008 and 2026, after application of the limitation under Section 382 of the Internal Revenue Code. Of the approximately \$223.4 million of net operating losses available to offset taxable income, approximately \$206.6 million does not expire until 2020 or later, subject to compliance with Section 382 of the Internal Revenue Code. Clarus also has capital loss carryforwards of \$1.6 million which expires in 2008.

Warren B. Kanders, Executive Chairman of Clarus, stated, "While the state of the economy and credit markets continue to be challenging, this has not translated into a slow-down in potentially actionable transaction opportunities under review or materially impacted our ability to seek debt financing. We continue to be actively reviewing potential acquisition opportunities that meet our publicly stated goals of acquiring an industry market leader with solid management teams, strong free cash flow generation and a minimum EBITDA of \$25 million."

Clarus does not currently intend to hold conference calls to discuss quarterly earnings releases unless and until it consummates an acquisition in connection with its redeployment strategy. At such time, Clarus plans to resume holding quarterly conference calls to review earnings and operating performance.

Clarus, formerly a provider of e-commerce business solutions, is seeking to redeploy its assets and use its substantial cash, cash equivalent assets and marketable securities to enhance stockholder value.

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Securities Act of 1933 and the Exchange Act of 1934. Information in this release includes Clarus' beliefs, expectations, intentions and strategies regarding Clarus, its future and its products and services. Assumptions relating to the forward-looking statements involve judgments with respect to, among other things, future economic, competitive and market conditions and future business decisions, all of which are difficult or impossible to predict accurately and many of which are beyond our control. Actual results could differ materially from those projected in the forward-looking statements as a result of certain risks including our inability to execute successfully our planned effort to redeploy our assets to enhance stockholder value, the unavailability of our net operating loss carry forward, and that the unaudited financial information provided in this press release may be adjusted as a result of the year end audit. Clarus cannot guarantee its future performance. All forward-looking statements contained in this release are based on information available to Clarus as of the date of this release and Clarus assumes no obligation to update the forward-looking statements contained herein.

For further information regarding the risks and uncertainties in connection with Clarus' business, please refer to the "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" and "Risk Factors" sections of Clarus' filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including but not limited to, its most recent annual report on Form 10-K and quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, copies of which may be obtained at our web site at http://www.claruscorp.com or the SEC's web site at http://www.sec.gov.

# **CLARUS CORPORATION**

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT SHARE AND PER SHARE AMOUNTS)

		MARCH 31, 2008 (unaudited)		DECEMBER 31, 2007	
ASSETS					
CURRENT ASSETS:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	22,393	\$	41,886	
Marketable securities		64,561		45,223	
Interest receivable		3		15	
Prepaids and other current assets		83		175	
Total current assets		87,040		87,299	
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, NET		1,293		1,381	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	88,333	\$	88,680	
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY CURRENT LIABILITIES:					
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$	370	\$	618	
Total current liabilities	<del>-</del>	370	<del>-</del>	618	
Deferred rent		360		343	
Total liabilities		730		961	
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY:					
Preferred stock, \$.0001 par value; 5,000,000 shares authorized; none					
issued					
Common stock, \$.0001 par value; 100,000,000 shares authorized;					
17,441,747 and 17,226,747 shares issued and 17,366,747 and 17,151,747					
outstanding in 2008 and 2007, respectively		2		2	
Additional paid-in capital		370,026		369,827	
Accumulated deficit		(282,538)		(282,121)	
Treasury stock, at cost		(2)		(2)	
Accumulated other comprehensive gain		115		13	
Total stockholders' equity		87,603		87,719	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$	88,333	\$	88,680	

# CLARUS CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(UNAUDITED)

(IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE AMOUNTS)

# THREE MONTHS ENDED

	MA	MARCH 31,		
	2008		2007	
REVENUES:	\$	\$		
Total revenues				
OPERATING EXPENSES:				
General and administrative	1,15	0	784	
Depreciation expense	8	9	90	
Total operating expenses	1,23	9	874	
OPERATING LOSS	(1,23	9)	(874)	
OTHER EXPENSE			(1)	
INTEREST INCOME	82	2	1,077	
NET (LOSS)/INCOME	\$ (41	7) \$	202	
(Loss)/income per common share:				
Basic	\$ (0.0	2) \$	0.01	
Diluted	\$ (0.0	2) \$	0.01	
Weighted average common shares outstanding:				
Basic	16,86	7	16,620	
Diluted	16,86	7	16,990	

# CLARUS CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(UNAUDITED)

(IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT SHARE AMOUNTS)

THREE MONTHS ENDED

		MARCH 31,			
		2008		2007	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:					
Net (loss)/income	\$	(417)	\$	202	
Adjustments to reconcile net (loss)/income to net cash used in operating activities:					
Depreciation on property and equipment		89		90	
Amortization of equity compensation plans		198		67	
Amortization of discount and premium on securities, net		(595)		(714)	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:					
Decrease/(increase) in interest receivable, prepaids and					
other current assets		104		(107)	
(Decrease)/increase in accounts payable and accrued liabilities		(248)		8	
Increase in deferred rent		17		16	
NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES		(852)		(438)	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:					
Purchase of marketable securities		(27,641)		(27,261)	
Proceeds from maturity of marketable securities		9,000		43,040	
Sale of property and equipment				2	
Purchase of property and equipment		<u></u>		(23)	
NET CASH (USED IN)/PROVIDED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(18,641)		15,758	
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:					
NET CASH PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES					
CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(19,493)		15,320	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, beginning of period		41,886		1,731	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, end of period	<u> </u>	22,393	\$	17,051	
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SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE:					
Cash paid for franchise and property taxes	\$	161	\$	141	
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