





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

On January 27, 2009, Carpenter Technology Corporation issued a press release discussing fiscal 2009 second quarter results for the period ended December 31, 2008. The press release, attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated herein by reference, is being furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for any purpose.

**Item 9.01 - Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release regarding earnings, dated January 27, 2009

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.

CARPENTER TECHNOLOGY  
CORPORATION

By: /s/ K. Douglas Ralph  
K. Douglas Ralph  
Senior Vice President – Finance and  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: January 27, 2009