

HCC INSURANCE HOLDINGS INC/DE/

Form 8-K

January 30, 2007

**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)

January 30, 2007

**HCC INSURANCE HOLDINGS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

001-13790  
(Commission File  
Number)

76-0336636  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

13403 Northwest Freeway  
Houston, Texas  
(Address of principal executive offices)

77040-6094  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (713) 690-7300

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- 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 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On January 30, 2007, HCC Insurance Holdings, Inc. issued a press release containing guidance with respect to its estimated results for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2007 and announcing the schedule for its 2007 earnings release dates.

A copy of the press release furnished by HCC is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference and is also available at our website at [www.hcc.com](http://www.hcc.com).

The information contained herein shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

| <b>No.</b> | <b>Exhibit</b>                       |
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| 99.1       | Press Release dated January 30, 2007 |

**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.

HCC INSURANCE HOLDINGS, INC.

Date: January 30, 2007

By: /s/ Frank J. Bramanti  
Frank J. Bramanti,  
Chief Executive Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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