CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP Form 8-K July 23, 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): July 23, 2008
CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware 1-13883 77-0448994

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission file number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

1720 North First Street San Jose, California

95112

(Zip Code)

(Address of principal executive offices)

(408) 367-8200

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 8.01. Other Events

On July 23, 2008, California Water Service Group (the Company) issued a press release (a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference) announcing the declaration of a quarterly dividend of \$0.2925 per common share payable on August 15, 2008, to stockholders of record on August 4, 2008.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

We hereby furnish the following exhibit with this report:

Exhibit No.	Description
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99.1 Press Release issued July 23, 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.

CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE GROUP

Date: July 23, 2008 By: /s/ Martin A. Kropelnicki

Name: Martin A. Kropelnicki

Title: Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer