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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):
April 12, 2007

## FRANKLIN COVEY CO.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File No. 1-11107

Utah
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

87-0401551
(IRS Employer Identification Number)

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On April 12, 2007, Franklin Covey Co. (the Company) announced its financial results for the fiscal quarter and two quarters ended March 3, 2007. A copy of the earnings release is being furnished as exhibit 99.1 to this current report on Form 8-K.

Certain information in this Report (including the exhibit) is furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed to be "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 made by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

## Item 8.01 Other Events

The Company will host a discussion on Friday, April 13, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time (9:00 a.m. Mountain Time) for shareholders and the financial community to review the Company's fiscal 2007 second quarter financial results.

Interested parties may participate in the discussion by calling 1-866-362-4832, access code: 49639256 and by logging on to http://phx.corporate-ir.net/phoenix.zhtml?p=irol-eventDetails\&c=102601\&eventID=1526727.

## Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits
99.1 Earnings release dated April 12, 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.

FRANKLIN COVEY CO.

Date: April 12, 2007
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# FRANKLINCOVEY ANNOUNCES SECOND QUARTER FISCAL 2007 RESULTS 

Salt Lake City, Utah - April 12, 2007 - FranklinCovey (NYSE: FC) announced its earnings and operating results for the quarter ended March 3, 2007. The Company reported operating income of $\$ 9.5$ million for the second quarter of fiscal 2007, compared to $\$ 10.6$ million of operating income for the same quarter of last year. The Company reported a better than expected $18 \%$ increase in its Organizational Solutions Business Unit (OSBU) sales during the quarter which was offset by declines in its Consumer Solutions Business Unit (CSBU) sales due in part to closed stores and a shift in weeks around the holiday shopping season compared to last year. The Company had an increase in its effective tax rate ( $48.6 \%$ for the second quarter of fiscal 2007 compared to $16.9 \%$ for the same period last year) due to the tax benefit recorded in fiscal 2006. However, because of the NOL-carry-forwards most of the income taxes will be non-cash. Due in significant part to the change in tax rate, the Company reported net income before preferred stock dividends of $\$ 4.7$ million ( $\$ 0.19$ earnings per share after accounting for preferred stock dividends) for the second quarter of fiscal 2007, compared to $\$ 9.2$ million in net income ( $\$ 0.39$ per share after accounting for preferred stock dividends) for the second quarter of fiscal 2006. The Company expects that its effective tax rate for fiscal 2007 will be at this higher rate.

The Company's year-over-year operating results during the second quarter were influenced primarily by the following: (1) $\$ 4.9$ million or $18 \%$ increase in sales through our OSBU which was offset by a $\$ 6.4$ million decline in sales (due in part to store closures) through the CSBU resulting in a net $\$ 1.5$ million decrease in sales; (2) steady gross margin ( $61.4 \%$ in the second quarter of fiscal 2007 compared to $61.5 \%$ in the second quarter of fiscal 2006) resulting in a net $\$ 1.0$ million year-over-year decrease in gross profit; ( 3 ) a $\$ 1.2$ million increase in selling, general and administrative (SG\&A) costs due in part to increased commissions associated with higher sales in the OSBU and increased legal fees; (4) a $\$ 1.2$ million gain on the sale of the printing building; and (5) a $\$ 0.1$ million increase in depreciation and amortization expense primarily due to a $\$ 0.3$ million impairment charge on the printing presses that are anticipated to be sold in the third quarter of fiscal 2007.

For the two quarters ended March 3, 2007, the Company reported operating income of $\$ 13.1$ million compared to $\$ 14.7$ million of operating income for the first two quarters of last year. For the first two quarters of fiscal 2007, the Company reported $\$ 6.1$ million of earnings before preferred stock dividends ( $\$ 0.21$ diluted earnings per share after preferred stock dividends) compared to $\$ 12.4$ million of net income before preferred stock dividends ( $\$ 0.48$ diluted earnings per share after preferred stock dividends) for the first two quarters of fiscal 2006, reflecting the higher tax rate impact for the two quarters in fiscal 2007. The Company provided the following details underlying the operating and net results during the second quarter and first two quarters of fiscal 2007.

Revenues: Total sales for the second quarter of fiscal 2007 decreased $\$ 1.5$ million compared to last year's second quarter with one less business day during the quarter compared to last year. OSBU sales grew $\$ 4.9$ million or $18 \%$ to $\$ 32.7$ million in the second quarter of fiscal 2007 compared to $\$ 27.8$ million in the same quarter last year. Domestic OSBU sales grew $26 \%$ primarily as a result of the increased sales force and sales force effectiveness. International sales increased $\$ 0.9$ million on stronger sales from licensees and Company-owned operations. OSBU revenues increased $\$ 9.5$ million or $17 \%$ during the first two quarters of fiscal 2007 compared to the first two quarters of fiscal 2006.

Sales from the CSBU for the quarter ended March 3, 2007, declined $\$ 6.4$ million, including a $\$ 2.4$ million decline attributed to the 10 fewer stores open during the quarter this year compared to the same quarter last year and a $\$ 1.0$ million decline in technology related products sold during the quarter this year compared to the same quarter last year. Total CSBU sales during the second quarter of fiscal 2007 were $\$ 44.1$ million compared to $\$ 50.5$ million for the same quarter last year. Retail store sales were $\$ 19.3$ million during the second fiscal quarter compared to $\$ 23.8$ million for the same quarter the prior year. Comparable store sales during the quarter were down $10 \%$ due in part to the one fewer business day the week after Christmas and the week after Thanksgiving being included in the first fiscal quarter. Comparable store sales declined $6 \%$ when comparable store weeks were compared and included comparable days around the Christmas selling season. Consumer Direct sales were $\$ 17.1$ million during the second fiscal quarter compared to $\$ 19.6$ million for the same quarter of last year. Sales of products through the wholesale channel to office superstores, increased $14 \%$ to $\$ 3.6$ million compared to $\$ 3.1$ million for the same quarter last year due mainly to the timing of sales ordered by these entities compared to last year. Total CSBU revenues decreased $\$ 7.8$ million to $\$ 86.5$ million for the first two quarters of fiscal 2007 compared to $\$ 94.2$ million for the first two quarters of fiscal year 2006.

Selling, general and administrative expenses: SG\&A costs increased by $\$ 1.2$ million during the quarter. The increase was primarily due to increased commissions associated with higher sales in the OSBU and increased legal fees compared to the same quarter last year. In the second quarter last year, the Company had a $\$ 0.3$ million favorable settlement that reduced its legal fees and was not repeated this year. The Company also increased its investment into its sales force this year compared to last year by hiring more sales personel and increasing its advertising and marketing as well as curriculum development. The costs associated with these initiatives were partially offset by cost reductions associated with store closures and other cost-saving initiatives. The Company had 10 fewer stores open during the quarter compared to the same quarter last year. Fiscal year to date SG\&A costs increased $\$ 4.3$ million compared to the same period of the prior year.

Depreciation and amortization: The Company reported an increase in depreciation and amortization expenses of $\$ 0.1$ million during the second quarter primarily due to a $\$ 0.3$ million impairment charge on the printing presses that are anticipated to be sold duing the third quarter of fiscal 2007. The Company had a $\$ 0.4$ million decrease during the first two quarters of fiscal 2007, compared to the respective periods of the prior year.

Other: The Company also reported that it purchased 0.3 million shares of its outstanding common stock for $\$ 2.5$ million during the second quarter of fiscal 2007 as a part of a previously announced $\$ 10.0$ million authorization. The Company also sold the real estate and building which housed its printing operations
for $\$ 2.5$ million and had a gain on the sale of $\$ 1.2$ million.

Subsequent to the quarter end, the Company redeemed the remaining outstanding Series A Preferred Stock and accrued dividends for $\$ 37.7$ million. The Company also entered into a credit agreement with its banks enabling it to borrow up to $\$ 25$ million for working capital and general purposes. The Company redeemed the Preferred Stock with borrowings from the credit agreement and from its cash balances at the beginning of April.

## About FranklinCovey

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## FRANKLIN COVEY CO.

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENTS

(in thousands, except per share amounts)

|  | Quarter Ended |  |  |  | Two Quarters Ended |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { March 3, } \\ 2007 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { February 25, } \\ 2006 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { March 3, } \\ 2007 \end{gathered}$ |  | February 25, 2006 |  |
|  | (unaudited) |  |  |  | (unaudited) |  |  |  |
| Sales | \$ | 76,876 | \$ | 78,333 | \$ | 152,405 | \$ | 150,684 |
| Cost of sales |  | 29,687 |  | 30,160 |  | 58,819 |  | 58,104 |
| Gross margin |  | 47,189 |  | 48,173 |  | 93,586 |  | 92,580 |
| Selling, general and administrative |  | 36,666 |  | 35,488 |  | 77,514 |  | 73,255 |
| Gain on sale of manufacturing facility |  | $(1,227)$ |  |  |  | $(1,227)$ |  |  |
| Depreciation |  | 1,366 |  | 1,221 |  | 2,403 |  | 2,629 |
| Amortization |  | 900 |  | 908 |  | 1,802 |  | 2,003 |
| Operating income |  | 9,484 |  | 10,556 |  | 13,094 |  | 14,693 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Interest income |  | 357 |  | 316 |  | 557 |  | 645 |
| Interest expense |  | (675) |  | (660) |  | $(1,336)$ |  | $(1,303)$ |
| Legal settlement |  |  |  | 873 |  |  |  | 873 |
| Income before provision for taxes |  | 9,166 |  | 11,085 |  | 12,315 |  | 14,908 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Provision for income taxes |  | 4,452 |  | 1,872 |  | 6,186 |  | 2,462 |
| Net income |  | 4,714 |  | 9,213 |  | 6,129 |  | 12,446 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Preferred stock dividends |  | (934) |  | $(1,139)$ |  | $(1,867)$ |  | $(2,518)$ |
| Net income available to common shareholders | \$ | 3,780 | \$ | 8,074 | \$ | 4,262 | \$ | 9,928 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net income available to common shareholders per share - diluted | \$ | 0.19 | \$ | 0.39 | \$ | 0.21 | \$ | 0.48 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales Detail: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retail Stores | \$ | 19,265 | \$ | 23,781 | \$ | 33,392 | \$ | 38,424 |
| Consumer Direct |  | 17,062 |  | 19,613 |  | 36,998 |  | 38,789 |
| Wholesale |  | 3,581 |  | 3,138 |  | 8,158 |  | 9,250 |
| CSBU International |  | 2,643 |  | 2,681 |  | 5,029 |  | 5,325 |
| Other |  | 1,583 |  | 1,291 |  | 2,877 |  | 2,454 |
| Total Consumer Solutions Business Unit |  | 44,134 |  | 50,504 |  | 86,454 |  | 94,242 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic |  | 19,313 |  | 15,347 |  | 37,034 |  | 31,677 |
| International |  | 13,429 |  | 12,482 |  | 28,917 |  | 24,765 |
| Total Organizational Solutions Business Unit |  | 32,742 |  | 27,829 |  | 65,951 |  | 56,442 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | \$ | 76,876 | \$ | 78,333 | \$ | 152,405 | \$ | $\underline{\text { 150,684 }}$ |

