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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):

April 30, 2008

PPG INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania 1-1687 25-0730780

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

One PPG Place, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15272

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (412) 434-3131

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.):

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On April 30, 2008, the rights issued by PPG Industries, Inc. (the Company) under the Rights Agreement, dated as of February 19, 1998 (the Rights Agreement), by and between the Company and ChaseMellon Shareholder Services, L.L.C., as Rights Agent, expired pursuant to the terms of the Rights Agreement. The rights permitted stockholders of the Company to acquire shares of the Company s Series A Junior Participating Preferred Stock, without par value, from the Company under certain circumstances pursuant to the terms of the Rights Agreement.

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SIGNATURE

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 2, 2008 PPG INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Registrant)

By: /s/ James C. Diggs

James C. Diggs

Senior Vice President, General Counsel

and Secretary