HESKA CORP Form 8-K March 14, 2008

# 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

March 10, 2008

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

#### **HESKA CORPORATION**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 000-22427 (Commission File Number)

77-0192527 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

3760 Rocky Mountain Avenue Loveland, Colorado 80538

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(970) 493-7272

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

#### **Not Applicable**

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

any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2 below):
[ ] Written communication pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
[ ] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
[ ] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

#### **Departure of Named Executive Officer**

**5.02(b)** On March 10, 2008, Joseph H. Ritter, Executive Vice President, Global Business Operations, of Heska Corporation (the Company ), informed the Company of his intention to voluntarily resign from his position with the Company to pursue other business interests. Dr. Ritter s Employment Agreement will expire upon the effective date of his termination which is expected to occur in early April 2008.

**5.02(e)** Dr. Ritter and the Company anticipate entering into a Separation and Release Agreement setting forth the terms of Dr. Ritter s separation from the Company and which may include a consulting agreement to assist with transition matters.

#### **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.

HESKA CORPORATION

Dated: March 14, 2008 By: /s/John R. Flanders

John R. Flanders

Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary