

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 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): February 11, 2008

**Tortoise Capital Resources Corporation**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**Maryland**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation)

**1-33292**  
(Commission File Number)

**20-3431375**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**10801 Mastin Blvd., Suite 222, Overland Park, KS**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**66210**  
(Zip Code)

**(913) 981-1020**  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

**Not Applicable**  
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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:

- 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 8.01. Other Events.**

On February 11, 2008, Tortoise Capital Resources Corporation announced the declaration of its first quarter 2008 dividend of \$0.25 per common share and portfolio ratings. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated February 11, 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.

**TORTOISE CAPITAL RESOURCES CORPORATION**

Dated: February 14, 2008

By: /s/ Terry Matlack  
Terry Matlack  
Chief Financial Officer

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**Exhibit No.**

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**Description**

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99.1

Press Release dated February 11, 2008

## **Tortoise Capital Resources Corp. Announces Dividend Increase and Portfolio Ratings**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**OVERLAND PARK , Kan.** – Feb. 11, 2008 – The Board of Directors of Tortoise Capital Resources Corp. (NYSE: TTO), today declared the company's first quarter 2008 dividend of \$0.25 per share compared to \$0.23 in the previous quarter. The dividend will be distributed on March 3, 2008 to stockholders of record on Feb. 21, 2008.

For tax purposes, the character of the dividend will be determined at year-end and will be reported to stockholders at the beginning of 2009 on their Form 1099. Based on current financial information, this dividend is estimated to consist of 100 percent return of capital for book purposes. This is subject to change based upon completion of the company's fiscal year.

### **Portfolio Ratings**

The company closely monitors portfolio performance and rates each investment's risk profile on a scale of one to three. As of Nov. 30, 2007, all Tortoise Capital Resources' portfolio companies achieved a rating of one, meaning portfolio performance is at or above expectations with trends and risk factors that are generally favorable to neutral.

### **About Tortoise Capital Resources Corp.**

Tortoise Capital Resources Corp. invests primarily in privately-held and micro-cap public companies operating in the midstream and downstream segments, and to a lesser extent the upstream segment of the U.S. energy infrastructure sector. Tortoise Capital Resources Corp. seeks to provide stockholders a high level of total return, with an emphasis on dividends and dividend growth.

### **About Tortoise Capital Advisors**

Tortoise Capital Advisors, LLC is a pioneer in capital markets for master limited partnership (MLP) investment companies and a leader in closed-end funds and separately managed accounts focused on MLPs in the energy sector. As of Jan. 31, 2008, the adviser had approximately \$2.9 billion of assets under management. For more information, visit our Web site at [www.tortoiseadvisors.com](http://www.tortoiseadvisors.com).

### **Safe Harbor Statement**

This press release shall not constitute an offer to sell or a solicitation to buy, nor shall there be any sale of the securities in any state or jurisdiction in which such offer or solicitation or sale would be unlawful prior to registration or qualification under the laws of such state or jurisdiction. Investors should consider the investment objective, risks, charges and expenses of the fund carefully before investing. For this and other important information, investors should refer to the closed-end fund prospectus and read it carefully before investing.

### **Contact information**

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