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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): March 1, 2012

Foot Locker, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

New York (State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 1-10299 (Commission File Number) 13-3513936 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

112 West 34th Street, New York, New York (Address of Principal Executive Offices) **10120** (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: 212-720-3700

Former Name/Address

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

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Item 2.02. Results of Operation and Financial Condition

On March 1, 2012, Foot Locker, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing its operating results for the fourth quarter and full year 2011. The press release includes a non-GAAP financial measure of fourth quarter and full-year 2011 net income before the write-down of certain intangible assets. The release also includes for 2010 a non-GAAP financial measure of fourth quarter and full-year 2010 net income before the write-down of assets, net of the partial recovery of a short-term investment that was written down in 2008. The Company believes these non-GAAP financial measures provide useful information to investors because they allow for a more direct comparison of the Company s performance for the fourth quarter and full year 2011 to the Company s performance in the comparable prior-year periods. The non-GAAP financial measures are provided in addition to, and not as an alternative to, the Company s reported results prepared in accordance with GAAP. A reconciliation to GAAP is provided in the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1, which, in its entirety, is incorporated herein by reference.

The Company is hosting a conference call on March 2, 2012, to discuss its fourth quarter 2011 and full-year 2011 financial results, provide comments on the current business environment, and its outlook for 2012. A non-GAAP to GAAP reconciliation schedule for the non-GAAP measures referred to in the Company s prepared conference call remarks is attached as Exhibit 99.2. The Company believes these non-GAAP financial measures provide useful information to investors in evaluating the Company s performance relative to its long-term financial objectives and allows for a more direct comparison of the Company s performance for 2011 as compared with 2010.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (c) Exhibits
 - 99.1 Press Release of Foot Locker, Inc. dated March 1, 2012 reporting operating results for the fourth quarter and full year 2011.
 - 99.2 Non-GAAP to GAAP Reconciliation Schedule.

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.

FOOT LOCKER, INC.

(Registrant)

Date: March 1, 2012 By: /s/ Lauren B. Peters

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer