

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 2, 2012, the Company issued a press release regarding the Company's sales results and estimated earnings for its fourth fiscal quarter and fiscal year ended January 28, 2012. The full text of the Company's press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit

No. Description

99.1 February 2, 2012 Press Release by Ross Stores, Inc.*

*Pursuant to Item 2.02 of Form 8-K, Exhibit 99.1 shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

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.

Date: February 2, 2012

ROSS STORES, INC.
Registrant

By: /s/J. Call
John G. Call
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer, and
Principal Accounting Officer