FORWARD AIR CORP Form 8-K October 28, 2011

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): October 28, 2011 (October 27, 2011)

FORWARD AIR CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Tennessee	000-22490	62-1120025
(State or other	(Commission File	(I.R.S. Employer
jurisdiction of	Number)	Identification No.)
incorporation)		
430 Airport Road		
Greeneville, Tennessee		37745

(Address of principal (Zip Code) executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (423) 636-7000

Not Applicable (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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

SECTION 8. OTHER EVENTS.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference is a copy of a press release, dated October 28, 2011, announcing that the Company's Board of Directors declared on October 27, 2011, a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.07 per share of common stock. The dividend is payable to the Company's shareholders of record at the close of business on November 26, 2011, and is expected to be paid on December 11, 2011.

SECTION 9. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is being furnished as part of this Report.

No. Exhibit
99.1 Press Release of
Forward Air
Corporation
dated October
28, 2011.

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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.

Date: October 28, 2011

FORWARD AIR CORPORATION By: /s/ Rodney L. Bell Rodney L. Bell Senior Vice President, CFO and Treasurer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

No. Exhibit 99.1 Press Release of Forward Air Corporation dated October 28, 2011.