

Meritage Homes CORP  
Form 8-K  
April 14, 2008

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

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**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) April 9, 2008**

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**MERITAGE HOMES CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

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| <b>Maryland</b>                                   | <b>1-9977</b>               | <b>86-0611231</b>                    |
| (State or Other Jurisdiction<br>of Incorporation) | (Commission File<br>Number) | (IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |

**17851 N. 85<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 300, Scottsdale, Arizona**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**85255**  
(Zip Code)

**(480) 515-8100**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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and John R. Landon (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of Form 8-K dated July 8, 2003)

10.3 Stock Purchase Agreement between the Company and John R. Landon (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of Form 8-K dated June 12, 2006)

10.4 Settlement Agreement between the Company and John R. Landon (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of Form 8-K dated June 12, 2006)

10.5 Cooperation Agreement between the Company and John R. Landon (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of Form 8-K dated June 12, 2006)

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.

Dated: April 14, 2008

MERITAGE HOMES CORPORATION

/s/  
By:

C. Timothy White  
C. Timothy White  
Executive Vice President and General  
Counsel