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LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC.

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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): November 6, 2007

LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-51251 20-1538254 (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission (IRS Employer File Number) Identification No.)

103 Powell Court, Suite 200

Brentwood, Tennessee 37027
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(615) 372-8500

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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

On November 6, 2007, Marguerite W. Kondracke was elected to the Board of Directors of LifePoint Hospitals, Inc. (the "Company").

 ${\tt Ms. Kondracke\ will\ serve\ on\ the\ Audit\ and\ Compliance\ Committee,\ the\ Compensation}\\ {\tt Committee\ and\ the\ Corporate\ Governance\ and\ Nominating\ Committee\ of\ the\ Board\ of\ Committee\ of\ Co$

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Directors of the Company, all of which are comprised of independent directors. Ms. Kondracke's compensation will be identical to the other non-employee directors of the Company as described in the Company's proxy statement for the 2007 annual meeting of stockholders. A copy of the press release issued by the Company on November 8, 2007 is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

99.1 Copy of press release issued by the Company on November 8, 2007.

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.

LIFEPOINT HOSPITALS, INC.

By: /s/ Paul D. Gilbert

Name: Paul D. Gilbert

Title: Senior Vice President and General Counsel

Date: November 8, 2007

EXHIBIT INDEX

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