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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): JULY 22, 2005

FREMONT GENERAL CORPORATION
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

NEVADA
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-08007
(Commission File Number)

95-2815260
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2425 OLYMPIC BOULEVARD, 3RD FLOOR
SANTA MONICA, CA 90404
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(310) 315-5500
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

NOT APPLICABLE
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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

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ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On July 28, 2005, Fremont General Corporation ("the Company") issued a news release to report its results of operations and financial condition at, and for the three and six months ended, June 30, 2005. The information set forth in the attached Exhibit 99.1 is incorporated in the Item by reference and is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of the Securities Act of 1934, as amended.

ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS

On July 22, 2005, the Company received a Notice of Appeal to the Superior Court of California's April 22, 2005 dismissal of a lawsuit brought by the State of California Insurance Commissioner on behalf of Fremont Indemnity Company as successor in interest to Comstock Insurance Company ("Comstock") against the Company. The dismissed lawsuit alleged improper utilization by the Company of certain net operating losses allegedly belonging to Comstock as well as improper transactions with other insurance affiliates of Comstock. The Company continues to believe, as the Superior Court of California held, that this litigation is without merit.

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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.

FREMONT GENERAL CORPORATION

Date: July 28, 2005

BY: /s/ Patrick E. Lamb

Patrick E. Lamb
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial
Officer, Chief Accounting Officer and
Treasurer
(Principal Accounting Officer)

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