

RAYONIER INC  
Form 8-K  
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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)  
January 24, 2012  
RAYONIER INC.  
COMMISSION FILE NUMBER 1-6780  
Incorporated in the State of North Carolina  
I.R.S. Employer Identification Number 13-2607329  
1301 Riverplace Boulevard, Jacksonville, Florida 32207  
(Principal Executive Office)  
Telephone Number: (904) 357-9100

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ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On January 24, 2012, Rayonier Inc. issued a press release announcing its fourth quarter 2011 consolidated earnings. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press release entitled "Rayonier Reports Strong Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2011 Results" issued January 24, 2012.

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SIGNATURE

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.

RAYONIER INC. (Registrant)

BY:           /s/ HANS E. VANDEN NOORT  
              Hans E. Vanden Noort  
              Senior Vice President and  
              Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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