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): March 10, 1998

BEAZER HOMES USA, INC.

(Exact name of REgistrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

58-2086934 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

5775 Peachtree Dunwoody Road, Suite C-550, Atlanta, Georgia 30342 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

(404) 250-3420

(Registrant's telephone number including area code)

Not applicable

(Former name and former address, if changed since last report)

Item 5. Other Events

On March 10, 1998, Beazer Homes USA, Inc. issued the press release attached hereto and made a part hereof. $\,$

BEAZER HOMES ANNOUNCES 55% INCREASE IN NEW ORDERS FOR THE TWO MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY 28, 1998

Atlanta, Georgia, March 10, 1998 - Beazer Homes USA, Inc. (NYSE:BZH) today announced that for the two months ended February 28, 1998, the Company had 1,488 new orders for homes, a 55% increase over the 961 new orders for the two months ended February 28, 1997.

Beazer Homes USA, Inc., based in Atlanta, Georgia, is one of the country's ten largest single family homebuilders, with operations in Arizona, California, Florida, Georgia, Nevada, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Texas.

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

Beazer Homes USA, Inc.

March 10, 1998

By: /s/ David S. Weiss

Date

David S. Weiss, Executive Vice President

and Chief Financial Officer