## 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):

July 29, 2008

## CHIMERA INVESTMENT CORPORATION

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland 333-145525 26-0630461

(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

1211 Avenue of the Americas Suite 2902

New York, New York 10036
-----(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 696-0100

No Change

(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:

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

## Item 1.02. Termination of a Material Definitive Agreement.

On July 29, 2008, Chimera Investment Corporation (the "Company"), terminated the master repurchase agreement, dated as of January 31, 2008, by and among the Company, DB Structured Products, Inc. and Deutsche Bank Securities Inc.

On July 29, 2008, the Company terminated the master repurchase agreement, dated as of January 18, 2008, between the Company and Credit Suisse First Boston Mortgage Capital LLC.

The Company has no amounts outstanding under each of these agreements.

## 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.

Chimera Investment Corporation

By: /s/ A. Alexandra Denahan

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Name: A. Alexandra Denahan Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: July 31, 2008