

NORDIC AMERICAN TANKER SHIPPING LTD  
Form 6-K  
April 29, 2008

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16 OF THE SECURITIES  
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of April 2008

Commission File Number: 001-13944

NORDIC AMERICAN TANKER SHIPPING LIMITED  
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

LOM Building, 27 Reid Street, Hamilton, HM 11, Bermuda  
(Address of principal executive office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM 6-K REPORT

Attached as Exhibit 1 is an updated financial calendar for Nordic American Tanker Shipping Limited, released on April 29, 2008.

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Nordic American Tanker Shipping Ltd. (NYSE:NAT) Updated Financial Calendar

Hamilton, Bermuda, April 29, 2008.

In accordance with information given on our web site Nordic American Tanker Shipping Limited (the “Company”) today announced that it expects to issue its 1st quarter 2008 earnings and dividend release May 5, 2008, before the opening of trading at NYSE. The record date is slightly changed and is now expected to be May 23, 2008, and the payment date is expected to be June 3, 2008.

The 2nd quarter 2008 earnings and dividend report is expected to be released August 8, 2008, before the opening of trading at NYSE. The record date for the 2nd quarter dividend is expected to be August 21, 2008, and the payment date is expected to be September 2, 2008.

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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.

NORDIC AMERICAN TANKER SHIPPING LIMITED  
(registrant)

Dated: April 29, 2008

By: /s/ Herbjørn Hansson  
Herbjørn Hansson  
Chairman, Chief Executive  
Officer and President

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