WHIRLPOOL CORP /DE/ Form 8-K March 31, 2011

# 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) March 30, 2011

# WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction

1-3932 (Commission 38-1490038 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

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#### 2000 M-63 North, Benton Harbor, Michigan (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (269) 923-5000

49022-2692 (Zip Code)

 $(Registrant \ \ s \ telephone \ number, including \ area \ code)$ 

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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#### Item 8.01. Other Events.

On March 30, 2011, Whirlpool Corporation issued a press release announcing the filing of antidumping and countervailing duty petitions against bottom-mount refrigerators from South Korea and an antidumping petition against the same product from Mexico; a copy of the press release is attached and incorporated herein by reference.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Press Release dated March 30, 2011

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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.

### WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION

Date: March 31, 2011 By: /s/ ROBERT J. LAFOREST

Name: Robert J. LaForest Title: Corporate Secretary