

Clearwater Paper Corp  
Form DEFA14A  
October 14, 2010

**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): October 13, 2010

**CLEARWATER PAPER CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-34146**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**20-3594554**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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**601 West Riverside Ave., Suite 1100**

**Spokane, WA**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**99201**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (509) 344-5900**

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On October 13, 2010, Clearwater Paper Corporation (the Company ) issued a press release announcing the pricing of \$375 million principal amount of senior notes due 2018. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is incorporated by reference herein.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) *Exhibits*

99.1 Press release issued by Clearwater Paper Corporation, dated October 13, 2010: CLEARWATER PAPER CORPORATION ANNOUNCES PRICING OF \$375 MILLION OF SENIOR NOTES.

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 13, 2010

CLEARWATER PAPER CORPORATION

By: /s/ Michael S. Gadd  
Michael S. Gadd, Corporate Secretary

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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