

Clearwater Paper Corp  
Form 8-K  
May 18, 2010

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

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 18, 2010**

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**CLEARWATER PAPER CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

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<b>Delaware</b> (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	<b>001-34146</b> (Commission File Number)	<b>20-3594554</b> (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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**601 West Riverside Ave., Suite 1100  
Spokane, WA 99201  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)**

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

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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:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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

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**Item 7.01. Regulation FD.**

On May 18, 2010, Clearwater Paper Corporation issued a press release entitled “Clearwater Paper Announces New Tissue Machine and Converting Facility,” a copy of which is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

The information in this Form 8-K and the Exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall they be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

*(d) Exhibits.*

99.1 Press release issued by Clearwater Paper Corporation, dated May 18, 2010:

CLEARWATER PAPER ANNOUNCES NEW TISSUE MACHINE AND CONVERTING FACILITY

**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: May 18, 2010

CLEARWATER PAPER  
CORPORATION

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

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Exhibit Description

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