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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): March 3, 2009

United States Steel Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware1-1681125-1897152(State or other
jurisdiction of
incorporation)(Commission File
Number)(IRS Employer
Identification No.)600 Grant Street, Pittsburgh, PA
(Address of principal executive
offices)15219-2800

(Zip Code)

(412) 433-1121

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Item 8.01. Other Events

On March 3, 2009, United States Steel Corporation ("U. S. Steel") announced that further consolidation is necessary to maximize efficiency while meeting customer demands. Operations to be temporarily idled over the next several weeks are the finishing and coking operations at Hamilton Works in Hamilton, Ontario, and the steelmaking and finishing operations at Lake Erie Works near Nanticoke, Ontario. Approximately 1,500 employees will be affected. Earlier that day, U. S. Steel representatives met with federal and provincial officials as well as representatives of the United Steelworkers at these facilities to notify them of the temporary idling.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release titled "U. S. Steel Further Consolidates Operations for Greater Efficiency"

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.

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION

By /s/ Larry G. Schultz Larry G. Schultz Senior Vice President & Controller

Dated: March 6, 2009