

Celanese CORP  
Form 8-K  
October 21, 2008

**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 21, 2008**

**CELANESE CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

**DELAWARE**

**001-32410**

**98-0420726**

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission File  
Number)

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**1601 West LBJ Freeway, Dallas, Texas 75234-6034**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)  
Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(972) 443-4000**  
**Not Applicable**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report):

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)
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On October 21, 2008, Celanese Corporation (the Company ) issued a press release reporting the financial results for its third quarter 2008. A copy of the press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K ( Current Report ) as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein solely for purposes of this Item 2.02 disclosure.

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure**

On October 21, 2008, David N. Weidman, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Company, and Steven M. Sterin, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of the Company, will make a presentation to investors and analysts via a webcast hosted by the Company at 9:00 a.m. CT. The webcast and slide presentation may be accessed on our website at [www.celanese.com](http://www.celanese.com) under Investor/Presentations & Webcasts. A copy of the slide presentation posted during the webcast is attached to this Current Report as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated herein solely for purposes of this Item 7.01 disclosure.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number Description

99.1	Press Release dated October 21, 2008*
99.2	Slide Presentation dated October 21, 2008*

\* In connection with the disclosure set forth in Item 2.02 and Item 7.01, the information in this Current Report, including the exhibits attached hereto, is being furnished and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of such section. The information in this Current Report,

including the exhibits, shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended or the Exchange Act, regardless of any incorporation by reference language in any such filing. This Current Report will not be deemed an admission as to the materiality of any information in this Current Report that is required to be disclosed solely by Regulation FD.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

**CELANESE CORPORATION**

By: /s/ Miguel A. Desdin  
Name: Miguel A. Desdin  
Title: Vice President and Controller

Date: October 21, 2008

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