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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, 2008 (February 28, 2008)

## **Chemtura Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-15339 52-2183153
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission file number) (IRS employer of incorporation) identification number)

199 Benson Road, Middlebury,

06749

Connecticut

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

#### (203) 573-2000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

- (i) Effective February 28, 2008, the Organization, Compensation and Governance Committee of the Board of Directors of Chemtura Corporation (the "OCG Committee") approved the adoption of the 2008 Chemtura Corporation Management Incentive Program ("2008 MIP"). The 2008 MIP will provide a bonus payout in 2009 based upon individual and Chemtura performance during the 2008 fiscal year. The 2008 MIP provides for payments based upon Chemtura achieving certain financial goals that vary for the 2008 MIP participants. The 2008 MIP also provides for a threshold level of Chemtura performance below which no MIP award will be paid. Participation in the 2008 MIP is limited to various key management personnel. A copy of the 2008 MIP is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1 and is herein incorporated by reference.
- (ii) Effective February 28, 2008, the OCG Committee approved the adoption of the 2008-2010 Chemtura Corporation Long-Term Incentive Plan ("LTIP"). The LTIP awarded shares of restricted stock to various key management personnel. The restrictions on the shares of restricted stock will be lifted, either in whole or in part, in the event the Company achieves certain financial goals based upon cumulative Earnings before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization ("EBITDA"), adjusted for certain non-GAAP factors during the three-year measuring period 2008-2010. No shares of restricted stock will vest until the conclusion of the LTIP on December 31, 2010, subject to the terms of the Company's 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan. A copy of the LTIP is attached as Exhibit 10.2 and is herein incorporated by reference.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### (d) Exhibits

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<u>Number</u>	
10.1	2008 Chemtura Corporation Management Incentive Program
10.2	2008-2010 Chemtura Corporation Long-Term Incentive Plan

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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.

# Chemtura Corporation

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Lynn A. Schefsky Name: Lynn A. Schefsky

Title: Senior Vice President, General

Counsel, and Secretary

Date: March 3, 2008

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