

XERIUM TECHNOLOGIES INC  
Form 8-K  
May 16, 2011

**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): May 16, 2011**

**XERIUM TECHNOLOGIES, INC.**

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

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

**001-32498**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**42-1558674**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

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**8537 Six Forks Road, Suite 300, Raleigh, North Carolina 27615**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (919) 526-1400**

**(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)
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- 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))

**Item 8.01 Other Events**

On May 16, 2011, Xerium Technologies, Inc. issued a press release pursuant to Rule 135c under the Securities Act, as amended (the Securities Act ). A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibits are furnished herewith.

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release of Xerium Technologies, Inc. dated May 16, 2011 pursuant to Rule 135c under the Securities Act.

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.

XERIUM TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Date: May 16, 2011

By: /s/ Clifford E. Pietrafitta

Name: Clifford E. Pietrafitta

Title: Executive Vice President and CFO

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