Verso Paper Holdings LLC Form 8-K February 09, 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

February 9, 2011

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

Verso Paper Corp.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State of Incorporation or Organization) 001-34056 (Commission File Number) 75-3217389 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

Verso Paper Holdings LLC

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State of Incorporation or Organization) 333-142283 (Commission File Number)

6775 Lenox Center Court, Suite 400

56-2597634 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

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Memphis, Tennessee 38115-4436

(Address, including zip code, of principal executive offices)

(901) 369-4100

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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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 February 9, 2011, Verso Paper Corp. issued a press release announcing the completion of the tender offer (the Tender Offer) of its subsidiary, Verso Paper Holdings LLC (the Company), to purchase any and all of the outstanding 8% Second Priority Senior Secured Fixed Rate Notes due 2014 (the Notes) issued by it and Verso Paper Inc., a subsidiary of the Company. The Tender Offer expired at 11:59 p.m., New York City time, on February 8, 2011 (the Expiration Date). As previously announced, the Company received tenders from the holders of \$310,415,000 aggregate principal amount of the Notes prior to the early tender payment deadline, January 25, 2011, at 5:00 p.m., New York City time (the Early Tender Date), which represented approximately 92.1% of the outstanding Notes. On January 26, 2011, the Company accepted for early payment, and paid for, the Notes tendered prior to the Early Tender Date. After the Early Tender Date and prior to the Expiration Date, the Company received tenders from the holders of an additional \$48,000 aggregate principal amount of the Notes, resulting in total tenders from holders of \$310,463,000 aggregate principal amount of the Notes. The tenders for all Notes received by the Company prior to the Expiration Date represented approximately 92.1% of the outstanding Notes. The Company expects to accept for payment all of the Notes validly tendered after the Early Tender Date and prior to the Expiration Date on Wednesday, February 9, 2011. The Company intends to redeem the Notes that remain outstanding after completion of the Tender Offer at the applicable redemption price, plus accrued and unpaid interest.

For additional information concerning the foregoing, a copy of the press release dated February 9, 2011, is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

No. Description

99.1 Press release issued by Verso Paper Corp. on February 9, 2011, announcing completion of the tender offer.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, each of the Registrants has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: February 9, 2011

VERSO PAPER CORP.

By: /s/ Robert P. Mundy

Robert P. Mundy

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

VERSO PAPER HOLDINGS LLC

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