

CENTURY ALUMINUM CO
Form 8-K
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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): April 16, 2013

Century Aluminum Company
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware 1-34474 13-3070826
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2511 Garden Road
Building A, Suite 200 93940
Monterey, California (Zip Code)
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)
(831) 642-9300
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- 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 April 16, 2013, Century Aluminum Company issued a press release announcing that its wholly owned subsidiary, Century Aluminum of Kentucky ("CAKY"), has issued a conditional notice to employees at its Hawesville, Kentucky aluminum smelter of its intent to curtail 100% of plant operations on August 20, 2013 if the plant cannot secure a competitively priced electric power contract. The conditional notice was made pursuant to the federal Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act (WARN). CAKY also gave conditional notice to terminate its supply contract with its largest customer, the Southwire Company, given the potential plant closure effective August 20, 2013. The entire text of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

| Exhibit Number | Description |
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| 99.1 | Press Release, dated April 16, 2013. |

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