

CENTURY ALUMINUM CO  
Form 8-K  
July 25, 2011

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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): July 25, 2011

Century Aluminum Company  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware<br>(State or other jurisdiction<br>of Incorporation) | 1-34474<br>(Commission File Number) | 13-3070826<br>(IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |
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| 2511 Garden Road<br>Building A, Suite 200<br>Monterey, California<br>(Address of principal executive offices) | 93940<br>(Zip Code) |
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(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

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the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On July 25, 2011, Century Aluminum Company (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing estimated net income and related preliminary information for the second quarter of 2011. A copy of the Company’s 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                         |
|----------------|-------------------------------------|
| 99.1           | Press Release, dated July 25, 2011. |

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

CENTURY ALUMINUM COMPANY

Date: July 25, 2011 By:

/s/ William J. Leatherberry  
Name: William J. Leatherberry  
Title: Executive Vice President, General  
Counsel and Secretary

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