

AMERICAN ISRAELI PAPER MILLS LTD

Form 6-K

January 03, 2007

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer
Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
For the Month of January 2007

AMERICAN ISRAELI PAPER MILLS LTD.

(Translation of Registrant's Name into English)

P.O. Box 142, Hadera, Israel

(Address of Principal Corporate Offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

Form 20-F

Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1):

Note: Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1) only permits the submission in paper of a Form 6-K if submitted solely to provide an attached annual report to security holders.

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934:

Yes

No

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-_____

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Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and incorporated herein by reference is the Registrant's press release dated January 2, 2007.

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, thereunto duly authorized.

AMERICAN ISRAELI PAPER MILLS LTD.
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Lea Katz
Name: Lea Katz
Title: Corporate Secretary

Dated: January 2, 2007

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.

Description

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| 1. | Press release dated January 2, 2007 |
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EXHIBIT 1

NEWS

Client: AMERICAN ISRAELI
PAPER MILLS LTD.

Agency Contact: PHILIP Y. SARDOFF

For Release: IMMEDIATE

**American Israeli Paper Mills Ltd.
Sale of Property**

Hadera, Israel, January 2, 2007 American Israeli Paper Mills Ltd. (ASE:AIP) (the Company or AIPM) announced that yesterday an Agreement was signed with Arledan Investments Ltd., according to which, the Company sold its leasing rights vis-à-vis a plot stretching over approximately three acres in Ramat Hahayal , for an amount of approximately NIS 57 million. The property is rented until January 2013.

The Company estimates that as a result of the sale it will recognize, in the fourth quarter of the year 2006, capital profits of approximately NIS 21 million.