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Term Sheet

Filed Pursuant to Rule 433 Registration No. 333-174609 June 3, 2011

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## **Vulcan Materials Company**

6.5% Notes due 2016

## Change in Size of Offering:

The aggregate principal amount of notes to be issued in the offering increased from \$1,000,000,000 to \$1,100,000,000. The increased amount of \$100,000,000 will be used to repay outstanding debt of the Company as described in the Preliminary Prospectus Supplement.

**Issuer:** Vulcan Materials Company **Title of Security:** 6.5% Notes due 2016 **Principal Amount:** \$500,000,000 6.5% Coupon: 6.5% **Yield to Maturity: Benchmark Treasury:** 1.750% due 5/31/2016 **Spread to Benchmark Treasury:** +488 bps **Price to Public:** 100%

**Coupon Dates:** June 1 and December 1

First Coupon Date: December 1, 2011

**Trade Date:** June 3, 2011

**Settlement Date:** June 14, 2011 (T+7)

We expect that delivery of the notes will be made to investors on or about June 14, 2011, which will be the seventh business day following the date of this pricing term sheet (such settlement being referred to as T+7 ). Under Rule 15c6-1 under the Exchange Act, trades in the secondary market are required to settle in three business days, unless the parties to any such trade expressly agree otherwise. Accordingly,

purchasers who wish to trade notes prior to the delivery of the notes hereunder on the date hereof or on the next three succeeding business days will be required, by virtue of the fact that the notes initially settle in T+7, to specify an alternate settlement arrangement at the time of any such trade to prevent a failed settlement. Purchasers of the notes who wish to trade the notes prior to their date of delivery hereunder should consult their advisors.

Maturity Date: December 1, 2016

Make Whole Call: At any time at a discount rate of Treasury plus 50 bps

**Use of Proceeds:** The net proceeds of the offering will be used as set forth in the

Preliminary Prospectus Supplement.

**CUSIP:** 929160 AQ2

**ISIN:** US929160AQ22

**Joint Book-Running Managers:** Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated

Goldman, Sachs & Co.

SunTrust Robinson Humphrey, Inc.

**Senior Co-Managers:** Morgan Keegan & Company, Inc.

U.S. Bancorp Investments, Inc.

Co-Managers: BB&T Capital Markets, a division of Scott & Stringfellow, LLC

Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria, S.A.

Mizuho Securities USA, Inc. The Williams Capital Group, L.P.

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7.5% Notes due 2021

### Change in Size of Offering:

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June 14, 2011 (T+7)

Issuer: Vulcan Materials Company **Title of Security:** 7.5% Notes due 2021 **Principal Amount:** \$600,000,000 7.5% Coupon: **Yield to Maturity:** 7.5% 3.125% due 5/15/2021 **Benchmark Treasury: Spread to Benchmark Treasury:** +449 bps **Price to Public:** 100% June 15 and December 15 **Coupon Dates: First Coupon Date:** December 15, 2011 Trade Date: June 3, 2011

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Maturity Date: June 15, 2021

Make Whole Call: At any time at a discount rate of Treasury plus 50 bps

**Use of Proceeds:** The net proceeds of the offering will be used as set forth in the

Preliminary Prospectus Supplement.

**CUSIP:** 929160 AR0

**ISIN:** US929160AR05

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