

KAPSTONE PAPER & PACKAGING CORP  
Form 8-K  
November 28, 2012

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**November 28, 2012**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

**KapStone Paper and Packaging Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

**001-33494**  
(Commission

File Number)

**20-2699372**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

**1101 Skokie Boulevard, Suite 300 Northbrook, Illinois**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**60062**  
(Zip Code)

**(847) 239-8800**

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 1.01**      **Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On November 28, 2012, KapStone Paper and Packaging Corporation (the Company) entered into a Second Amendment to Credit Agreement (Second Amendment) by and among KapStone Kraft Paper Corporation, as Borrower, the Company and certain of its subsidiaries, as Guarantors, the lenders who are a party thereto and Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, amending the Company's Credit Agreement, dated as of October 31, 2011, as previously amended. The Second Amendment amends the definition of Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio, extends the Maturity Date from October 31, 2016 to November 28, 2017, and permits a one-time special cash dividend to be paid by the Company on or before December 31, 2012, in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$100,000,000.

The foregoing summary does not purport to be a complete summary of the Second Amendment and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Second Amendment, a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit 10.1.

**Item 8.01**      **Other Events**

On November 28, 2012, the Board of Directors approved a special cash dividend of \$2.00 per share (the Special Dividend) payable on December 20, 2012 to shareholders of record of the Company's common stock at the close of business on December 10, 2012. The Company's common stock will start trading on an ex-dividend basis beginning December 6, 2012 (the Ex-Dividend Date), in accordance with the New York Stock Exchange rules. Shareholders who sell their shares on or before the Ex-Dividend Date will also be selling their right to receive the Special Dividend. The aggregate amount of payments to be made in connection with the Special Dividend will be approximately \$95.0 million.

**Item 9.01**      **Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d)      *Exhibits*

10.1      Second Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of November 28, 2012, by and among KapStone Kraft Paper Corporation, as Borrower, KapStone Paper and Packaging Corporation and certain of its subsidiaries, as Guarantors, the lenders who are a party thereto and Bank of America N.A., as Administrative Agent

99.1      Press release dated November 28, 2012 announcing Special Dividend.

**SIGNATURE**

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

Date: November 28, 2012

KAPSTONE PAPER AND PACKAGING CORPORATION

By: /s/ Andrea K. Tarbox  
Name: Andrea K. Tarbox  
Title: Chief Financial Officer

**INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

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99.1	Press release dated November 28, 2012