RAYONIER INC

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FORM 11-K (Mark One): [X] ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the year ended December 31, 2010 OR
[] TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the transition period from to
COMMISSION FILE NUMBER 1-6780
RAYONIER - JESUP MILL SAVINGS PLAN FOR HOURLY EMPLOYEES
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Note: Other schedules required by Section 2520.103 - 10 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 have been omitted because they are not applicable.

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Participants and the Pension and Savings Plan Committee of the Rayonier - Jesup Mill Savings Plan for Hourly Employees Jacksonville, Florida

We have audited the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits of the Rayonier - Jesup Mill Savings Plan for Hourly Employees (the "Plan") as of December 31, 2010 and 2009, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2010. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. The Plan is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. Our audits included consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of the Plan as of December 31, 2010 and 2009, and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2010, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2010, is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. The supplemental schedule is the responsibility of the Plan's management. Such supplemental schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audits of the financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated, in all material respects, when considered in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

/s/ ENNIS, PELLUM & ASSOCIATES, P.A.

Ennis, Pellum & Associates, P.A. Certified Public Accountants Jacksonville, Florida June 28, 2011

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STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS AS OF DECEMBER 31,

	2010	2009	
ASSETS			
Investments, at fair value (Notes 2, 3 and 4)	\$32,019,468	\$29,553,780	
Receivables:			
Notes receivable from participants	897,180	562,161	
Accrued interest and dividends	2,237	1,684	
Employer contributions	7,412	5,448	
* •	*	33,039	
Participant contributions	40,069	,	
Total receivables	946,898	602,332	
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS,			
BEFORE ADJUSTMENT	32,966,366	30,156,112	
Adjustment from fair value to contract value			
for fully benefit-responsive investment	(1 421 170	(1.070.627	`
contracts (Note 2)	(1,431,178) (1,079,627)
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	\$31,535,188	\$29,076,485	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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RAYONIER - JESUP MILL SAVINGS PLAN FOR HOURLY EMPLOYEES STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,

ADDITIONS TO NET ASSETS: Net appreciation in fair value of investments (Note 4) Interest and dividends (Note 5) Interest on notes receivable from participants Employer contributions Participant contributions	2010 \$2,430,047 745,301 30,208 503,801 3,030,812 6,740,169	
DEDUCTIONS FROM NET ASSETS: Distributions to participants	(3,797,151)
Net increase	2,943,018	
Transfers of assets from this plan (Note 1)	(484,315)
Net assets available for benefits: Beginning of year End of year	29,076,485 \$31,535,188	

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1. Description of the Plan

The following brief description of the Rayonier - Jesup Mill Savings Plan for Hourly Employees (the "Plan") is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering all full-time, hourly-paid, bargaining unit employees of the Jesup mill of Rayonier Inc. ("Sponsor" or the "Company"). Certain part-time employees at the Jesup mill are also eligible to participate in the Plan. Eligible full-time employees may join at the first of the month following 90 days of service. A part-time employee is eligible for participation upon completion of 1,000 hours of service in a consecutive twelve-month period of employment measured from the date on which such employee's service commences. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA").

Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company ("MassMutual") serves as the custodian and record keeper of the Plan, and maintains and administers the Plan's investment assets for the benefit of participants. The trust forming part of the Plan (the "Trust") maintains the Plan's investment in Rayonier Inc. Common Stock Fund and is administered by State Street Corporation ("State Street").

Subsequent Event

Effective June 3, 2011, Reliance Trust Company replaced State Street as Trustee.

Contributions

Each year, a participant may contribute from two percent to 16 percent of eligible earnings. Contributions may be made on a before-tax basis, after-tax basis or a combination thereof.

The Company makes a matching contribution to the Plan equal to 35 percent of the first six percent of each participant's base compensation contributed to the Plan. As employees hired after March 2009 are not eligible for the Company's pension plans, these employees receive an enhanced retirement contribution in accordance with the collective bargaining agreement in addition to the standard matching contribution. For the years ended December 31, 2010 and 2009, the enhanced retirement contribution was \$1,250 annually for each eligible employee.

Matching Company contributions and the enhanced retirement contributions are initially invested in the Rayonier Inc. Common Stock Fund. Participants can elect to transfer all or part of their total account balance into any available investment under the Plan at any time.

Each year participants may contribute up to the maximum allowed by the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC"). In addition, the Plan allows for "catch-up" contributions by participants age 50 years and older as of the end of the Plan year. The Plan permits rollovers from other qualified plans into the Plan.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contribution and the related Company contribution. Plan earnings and losses are allocated to participant accounts based upon account balances.

Vesting

Participants are immediately fully vested in their contributions plus actual earnings thereon at all times. Participants vest in the Company's contributions at a rate of 20 percent per year of service; full vesting occurs after five years of service.

Forfeitures

Forfeited non-vested accounts may be used to reduce future employer contributions or to pay for administrative expenses related to the Plan. Total forfeitures were \$4,292 for the year ended December 31, 2010. During 2010, forfeitures of \$1,254 were utilized to reduce employer contributions. An insignificant amount of interest income is

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earned on the funds held in this account. At December 31, 2010 and 2009, the balance in forfeited, non-vested accounts totaled \$4,104 and \$714, respectively, and remains available in the Mass Mutual Fixed Income Fund ("MassMutual GIA").

Transfers

The Company maintains several defined contribution plans for its employees depending upon their employment status. If a participant transfers into a different plan during the year, the participant can elect to transfer their account balance into the corresponding plan. The transfer would be included in a "Transfers of assets" line on the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits.

Investment Options

Participants direct the investment of their contributions into various investment options offered by the Plan, as listed in the accompanying schedule of assets held at end of year.

Upon enrollment in the Plan, participants may direct their contributions and balance transfers in one percent increments to any of the funds. Participants are prohibited from transferring into Rayonier Inc. Common Stock Fund, most mutual funds and similar investment options if they have transferred into and out of the same option within the previous 60 days. The MassMutual GIA is not subject to this rule nor does this rule prohibit participants from transferring out of any option at any time.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Effective April 2009, participant loans were made available. Participants may borrow a minimum of \$1,000 from their fund accounts. Loan amounts may not exceed the lesser of (a) 50 percent of the participant's vested balance or (b) \$50,000 reduced by the participant's highest outstanding loan balance, if any, during the prior one-year period. Loan terms range from one to five years or up to twenty years for the purchase of a primary residence. The loans are secured by the balance in the participant's account and bear interest at the prime rate plus one percent. Principal and interest are paid ratably through bi-weekly payroll deductions. Loan transactions are treated as transfers between the investment funds and the loan fund.

Payment of Benefits and Withdrawals

Plan benefits are payable to participants either at the time of retirement (including early retirement) or in the case of becoming permanently and totally disabled, or to their beneficiary in the event of death, and are based on the fully vested balance of their account. The options available for the payment of benefits include lump sum or annual payments over a future period. Under the IRC, payment of benefits must commence by age 70-1/2. In the event of termination of employment before retirement, a participant's account balance will be distributed in either a lump sum, over future periods, or deferred.

Withdrawals may be made on a before-tax basis, after-tax basis or a combination thereof pursuant to provisions in the Plan and subject to Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") criteria. Distributions from before-tax accounts are allowable before attaining the age of 59-1/2 in the case of death, permanent and total disability, or financial hardship. Existence of financial hardship will be evaluated based on IRS criteria.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements of the Plan are prepared under the accrual method of accounting. New or Recently Adopted Accounting Pronouncements

In September 2010, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued Accounting Standards Update No. 2010-25 which requires that participant loans be classified as notes receivable from participants and measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Previously, the participant loans were classified as investments and were subject to fair value disclosure. The amendments are effective for fiscal years ending after

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December 15, 2010 and have been applied retrospectively to the prior period presented. The Company's application of this guidance had no effect on the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits for the year ended December 31, 2010. The Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits as of December 31, 2010 and 2009 have segregated the notes receivable from plan participants from the investments measured at fair value.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make certain estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of net assets available for benefits and changes therein. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

The Plan's investments are stated at fair value. Fair value is the price which would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

Fully benefit-responsive investment contracts such as those held by the MassMutual GIA, are required to be reported at fair value pursuant to generally accepted accounting principles. However, contract value (generally equal to historical cost plus accrued interest) is the relevant measure for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because it represents the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. As required by the accounting standard, all Plan investments are presented at fair value in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits and an adjustment is made to revalue the fair value of the MassMutual GIA to contract value. The Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits is prepared on a contract value basis. The guaranteed interest rate was 3.50 percent and 3.80 percent as of December 31, 2010 and 2009, respectively. The guaranteed interest rate is determined every six months.

The following table represents the annual interest credited to the account as a percentage of the average annual fair value of the MassMutual GIA:

	December 3	31,		
Average yields	2010	2009		
Based on actual earnings	3.13	% 3.41	%	
Based on interest rate credited to participants	3.13	% 3.41	%	

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income and dividends are recorded on the accrual basis. See Note 3 - Fair Value Measurements below for additional information.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participant loans are recorded as "Notes receivable from participants" and measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits as of December 31, 2010 and 2009. Delinquent participant loans are reclassified as distributions based upon the terms of the plan documents. Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

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Operating Expenses

Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid by the Sponsor. Fees charged by the individual funds and participant specific expenses are deducted from the participant's balance and reflected as a component of net gain from investment in plan assets.

3. Fair Value Measurements

Financial assets and liabilities disclosed in the financial statements on a recurring basis are recorded at fair value. Fair value is defined as the exchange price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability (an exit price) in the principal or most advantageous market for the asset or liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The guidance establishes a three-level hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs used to measure fair value as follows:

- Level 1 Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Observable inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1, such as quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar assets and liabilities in markets that are not active, or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the fair value of the assets or liabilities. This includes certain pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies and similar techniques that use significant unobservable inputs.

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investments at fair value, as of December 31, 2010:

Asset Category	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
MassMutual GIA	\$ —	\$ —	\$16,403,226	\$16,403,226
Rayonier Inc. Common Stock Fund	6,224,015	_	_	6,224,015
Pooled Separate Investment Accounts				
Large Cap Equity	_	7,004,364		7,004,364
Asset Allocation/Retirement	_	1,015,094	_	1,015,094
Intermediate Term Bond	_	593,640		