

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): September 7, 2011

MUELLER INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other
jurisdiction
of incorporation)

1-6770
(Commission File
Number)

25-0790410
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

8285 Tournament Drive Suite 150

Memphis, Tennessee
(Address of principal
executive offices)

38125
Zip Code

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(901) 753-3200**

Registrant's Former Name or Address, if changed since last report: **N/A**

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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 8.01 Other Events

On September 7, 2011 the Registrant issued a press release regarding a fire at its Wynne, Arkansas, manufacturing facility. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**(d) Exhibits**

99.1 Press release, dated September 7, 2011.

SIGNATURE

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

MUELLER INDUSTRIES, INC.

By: /s/ Kent A. McKee

Name: Kent A. McKee

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: September 7, 2011

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<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press release, dated September 7, 2011.

**MUELLER INDUSTRIES, INC. ANNOUNCEMENT
REGARDING WYNNE, ARKANSAS PLANT**

Mueller Industries, Inc. (NYSE: MLI) announced that one of its manufacturing plants located in Wynne, Arkansas, was damaged by fire Tuesday evening. All employees were safely evacuated without injury. The extent of the damage is presently being assessed. The fire was contained to one of three buildings on the site. The damage was limited to the (i) production of PVC plastic fittings for DWV applications, (ii) fabrication of line sets for air conditioning applications, and (iii) the casting operations for copper tube.

The Company has implemented plans to reallocate production to other Mueller facilities as well as securing third party sourcing arrangements. Along with existing inventories, the Company expects to provide ongoing and reliable supply to its customers. Our distribution center is operating normally.

Approximately 465 persons are employed at the site of which approximately 170 have been notified of indefinite lay-off. The duration of the lay-off will be determined in due course.

The safety of the employees was protected as a result of the swift implementation of building evacuation protocols and the rapid response by emergency personnel in Wynne and the surrounding area.

The losses, both property damage and business interruption, are expected to be covered by existing insurance policies and programs. Therefore, the Company believes that the impact of the fire on the Company's financial results should be immaterial.

Mueller Industries, Inc. is a leading manufacturer of copper tube and fittings; brass and copper alloy rod, bar and shapes; aluminum and brass forgings; aluminum and copper impact extrusions; plastic fittings and valves; refrigeration valves and fittings; and fabricated tubular products. Mueller's operations are located throughout the United States and in Canada, Mexico, Great Britain, and China. Mueller's business is importantly linked to: (1) the construction of new homes; (2) the improvement and reconditioning of existing homes and structures; and (3) the commercial construction market that includes office buildings, factories, hotels, hospitals, etc.

