

INTERNATIONAL PAPER CO /NEW/
Form 8-K
June 29, 2005

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: June 29, 2005

Date of Earliest Event Reported: June 26, 2005

INTERNATIONAL PAPER COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

1-3157
(Commission File Number)

13-0872805
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

400 Atlantic Street

Stamford, Connecticut 06921

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(Address and zip code of principal executive offices)

203-541-8000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On June 27, 2005, International Paper Company (the Company) issued a press release relating to the Company s expected second quarter earnings. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 5.02 ELECTION OF DIRECTOR

On June 28, 2005, the Company issued a press release relating to the election of John F. Turner as a director of International Paper Company, effective July 11, 2005. The Committee assignment for Mr. Turner has not yet been determined. A copy of the press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated by reference herein.

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

On June 26, 2005, the Company issued a press release announcing the Company s exploration of strategic options for its 50.5 percent stake in Carter Holt Harvey. A copy of the press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.3 and is incorporated by reference herein.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1: Press Release of International Paper Company, dated June 27, 2005.

Exhibit 99.2: Press Release of International Paper Company, dated June 28, 2005.

Exhibit 99.3: Press Release of International Paper Company, dated June 26, 2005.

