Ingersoll-Rand plc Form 8-K April 11, 2011

# 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 - April 7, 2011

(Date of earliest event reported)

# **INGERSOLL-RAND PLC**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(I.R.S. Employer
of incorporation)	File Number) 170/175 Lakeview Drive	Identification No.)
	Airside Business Park	
	Swords, Co. Dublin	
	Ireland	
(Addre	ess of principal executive offices, including zip co	ode)
	(353)(0)18707400	
(R	degistrant s phone number, including area code	
	N/A	
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)		
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### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On April 7, 2011, Ingersoll-Rand plc (the Company) issued a press release announcing that the Company s Board of Directors had declared a 12 cents per share quarterly dividend on the Company s ordinary shares, representing an increase of approximately 71 percent, and had authorized a share repurchase program of up to \$2 billion of the Company s ordinary shares. A copy of the press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated in its entirety by reference herein.

The information contained in this report and the attached press release is furnished but not filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

### **Exhibit**

No. Description

99.1 Press release of Ingersoll-Rand plc dated April 7, 2011

## **SIGNATURES**

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

INGERSOLL-RAND PLC

Date: April 11, 2011

(Registrant)

/s/ Barbara A. Santoro

Barbara A. Santoro

Vice President - Corporate Governance and Secretary