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# 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): June 9, 2011

## THE MOSAIC COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction

001-32327 (Commission 20-1026454 (IRS Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

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#### 3033 Campus Drive

Suite E490

Plymouth, Minnesota 55441 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (800) 918-8270

#### Not applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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):

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

## Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(e) Compensatory Arrangements for Named Executive Officers

On June 9, 2011, the Compensation Committee (the Committee ) of the Board of Directors (the Board ) of The Mosaic Company (the Company ) approved a special cash compensation program (the New Horizon Special Compensation Awards ) to recognize significant contributions to the success of the May 25, 2011 split-off (the Split-off ) by Cargill, Incorporated ( Cargill ) of its approximately 64% equity interest in the Company, including approval by the Company s stockholders at a special meeting held on May 11, 2011 and the sale of 115.0 million shares of the Company s stock by certain former Cargill stockholders and debt holders on May 25, 2011. In addition, on June 14, 2011, the Board, upon the recommendation of the Committee, approved a New Horizon Special Compensation Award to the Company s Officer and President. The Split-off represents the culmination of over three years of effort by a number of the Company s officers and employees, and we expect that it will benefit us by improving our long-term strategic and financial flexibility, as well as greatly increasing the liquidity of our common stock. The Committee approved an aggregate of approximately \$7 million of New Horizon Special Compensation Awards to more than three dozen officers and employees who played material roles in contributing to the success of the Split-off, including the following awards to the Company s named executive officers within the meaning of Instruction 4 to Item 5.02 of Form 8-K: James T. Prokopanko, Chief Executive Officer and President, Richard L. Mack, Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary, and Lawrence W. Stranghoener, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, \$1 million each; and James ( Joc ) C. O Rourke, Executive Vice President Operations, \$500,000.

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#### **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.

#### THE MOSAIC COMPANY

Date: June 15, 2011 By: /s/ Richard L. Mack

Name: Richard L. Mack

Title: Executive Vice President, General

Counsel and Corporate Secretary