

CENTURY ALUMINUM CO  
Form 8-K  
July 24, 2012

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): July 24, 2012

Century Aluminum Company  
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

Delaware 1-34474 13-3070826  
(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2511 Garden Road  
Building A, Suite 200 93940  
Monterey, California (Zip Code)  
(Address of principal executive offices)  
(831) 642-9300  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)  
N/A  
(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:

- 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 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On July 24, 2012, Century Aluminum Company (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing its results of operations for the quarter ended June 30, 2012. A copy of the Company’s press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The Company will hold a follow-up conference call on Tuesday, July 24, 2012, at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time. The earnings call will be webcast live on the Company’s website, located at [www.centuryaluminum.com](http://www.centuryaluminum.com). Anyone interested in listening to the live webcast should plan to begin the registration process for the webcast at least 10 minutes before the live call is scheduled to begin. A replay of the webcast will be archived and available for replay approximately two hours following the live call.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

| Exhibit Number | Description                        |
|----------------|------------------------------------|
| 99.1           | Press Release dated July 24, 2012. |

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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.

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|-------|---------------|--------|---|
| Date: | July 24, 2012 | By:    | CENTURY ALUMINUM COMPANY  |
|       |               |        | /s/ William J. Leatherberry   |
|       |               | Name:  | William J. Leatherberry   |
|       |               | Title: | Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer,<br>General Counsel and Secretary |

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Exhibit Index

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| 99.1           | Press Release dated July 24, 2012. |