TEMPLE INLAND INC Form 8-K October 19, 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: October 19, 2011 (Date of earliest event reported)

TEMPLE-INLAND INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware 001-08634
(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission of Incorporation) File Number)

75-1903917 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1300 MoPac Expressway South, 3rd Floor
Austin, Texas 78746
(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip code)

(512) 434-5800

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 19, 2011, Temple-Inland Inc. issued a press release announcing the company's earnings for the quarter ended October 1, 2011. A copy of the press release is furnished as exhibit 99.1 of this report.

The information in this report and the exhibits hereto shall not be treated as filed for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- Press release issued by Temple-Inland Inc. on October 19, 2011, announcing the company's earnings for the quarter ended October 1, 2011.

SIGNATURES

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

TEMPLE-INLAND INC.

Date: October 19, 2011 By: /s/ Randall D. Levy

Name: Randall D. Levy

Title: Chief Financial Officer

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99.1 Press release issued by Temple-Inland Inc. on October 19, 2011,
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