

CENTURY ALUMINUM CO  
Form 8-K/A  
August 15, 2006

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K/A  
Amendment No. 1**

**CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 8, 2006

**Century Aluminum Company**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**0-27918**  
(Commission File Number)

**13-3070826**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**2511 Garden Road  
Building A, Suite 200  
Monterey, California**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**93940**  
(Zip Code)

**(831) 642-9300**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**N/A**  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

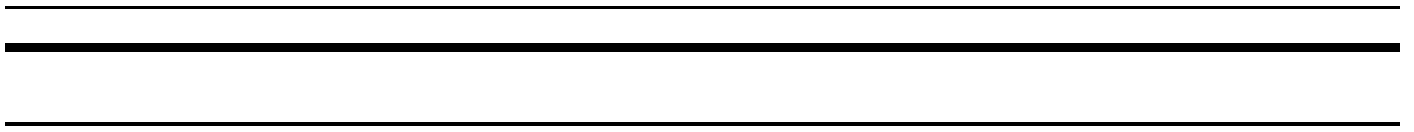
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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



**Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement**

Item 1.01. of the Form 8K filed on August 14, 2006, is hereby amended to add the following after the third sentence under the heading "Board of Director Fees":

"The Lead Director of the Board will receive an additional annual retainer of \$25,000."

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

**CENTURY ALUMINUM COMPANY**

Date: August 15, 2006 By: /s/ Robert R. Nielsen  
Name: Robert R. Nielsen  
Title: Executive Vice President, General  
Counsel and Secretary