

Nalco Holding CO
Form 8-K
January 09, 2007

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 and Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: January 9, 2007

NALCO HOLDING COMPANY

Delaware	001-32342	16-1701300
(State of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification Number)

1601 W. Diehl Rd., Naperville, IL 60563

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01.

Other Events

On January 8, 2007, Nalco Holding Company issued a press release containing a statement about a chemical release that occurred at its Sugar Land, Texas plant. A copy of that release is being furnished to the SEC as an exhibit to this form.

Item 9.01.

Financial Statements and Exhibits

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Exhibits.

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The following exhibit is furnished pursuant to Item 9.01 of Form 8-K:

(99.1)

Press release of Nalco Holding Company dated January 8, 2007, containing a statement about a chemical release from its Sugar Land, Texas plant.

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.

NALCO HOLDING COMPANY

/s/ Stephen N. Landsman

Secretary

Date: January 9, 2007