

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

On September 21, 2015, Danny G. Johansen, Senior Vice President, President Pulp and Paperboard Division, of Clearwater Paper Corporation (the “Company”) announced his decision to retire from that position. Patrick T. Burke, who currently serves as Senior Vice President, Consumer Products Division, for the Company will assume the newly created role of Senior Vice President, Group President effective October 1, 2015

A copy of the press release announcing the retirement of Mr. Johansen and appointment of Mr. Burke, which contains additional information, is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press release issued by Clearwater Paper Corporation, dated September 22, 2015.

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.

Date: September 22, 2015

CLEARWATER PAPER
CORPORATION

By: /s/ Michael S. Gadd
Michael S. Gadd, Corporate Secretary

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