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) November 6, 2007

BOWATER INCORPORATED

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction 1-8712 (Commission File Number) 62-0721803 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

Identification No.)

55 East Camperdown Way, Greenville, South Carolina (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

29602

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (864) 271-7733

Not Applicable

(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))

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 6, 2007, Bowater Incorporated (the Company) issued a press release reporting the financial results of the Company for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2007. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

All of the information in Items 2.02 and 9.01 of this report, including the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto, is being furnished and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise and shall not be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except to the extent expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Press release reporting results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2007, issued by the Company on November 6, 2007

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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.

BOWATER INCORPORATED

By: /s/ William G. Harvey Name: William G. Harvey

Dated: November 6, 2007 Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description of Exhibit

Press release reporting results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2007, issued by the Company on

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