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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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): September 8, 2008

Huntsman Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

500 Huntsman Way Salt Lake City, Utah (Address of principal executive offices) **001-32427** (Commission File Number) 42-1648585 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

> 84108 (Zip Code)

(801) 584-5700

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

Not applicable

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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On September 8, 2008, Huntsman Corporation (the Company) received a letter from certain stockholders and a letter from Jon M. Huntsman on behalf of certain Huntsman family stockholders (collectively, the Commitment Letters) offering to make cash payments to the Company on the closing of the Merger between the Company and Hexion Specialty Chemicals, Inc. (Hexion). Copies of the Commitment Letters are attached hereto as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2.

On September 8, 2008, the Company sent a letter to Hexion (the Consent Request) requesting Hexion s consent to the Company s accepting the offers in the Commitment Letters. A copy of the Consent Request is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.3.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

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- 99.2 Commitment Letter from Jon M. Huntsman to Huntsman Corporation, dated September 8, 2008.
- 99.3 Consent Request Letter from Huntsman Corporation to Hexion Specialty Chemicals, Inc., dated September 8, 2008.

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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.

HUNTSMAN CORPORATION

/s/ Troy M. Keller TROY M. KELLER Assistant Secretary

Dated: September 8, 2008

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