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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): July 4, 2008

Huntsman Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-32427 (Commission File Number)

42-1648585 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

500 Huntsman Way Salt Lake City, Utah (Address of principal executive offices)

84108 (Zip Code)

(801) 584-5700

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

Not applicable

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligations of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):	
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0	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On July 4, 2008, the Board of Directors of Huntsman Corporation (the Company) ratified its prior provisional authorization of the Company to exercise its right to extend (the Extension) the Agreement and Plan of Merger among Hexion Specialty Chemicals, Inc. (Hexion), Nimbus Merger Sub Inc. and the Company dated as of July 12, 2007, by 90 days to October 2, 2008. Also on July 4, 2008, the Company delivered a formal notice of the Extension (the Extension Notice) to Hexion. A copy of the Extension Notice is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

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Description of Exhibits

99.1 Notice of Extension of Termination Date delivered to Hexion Specialty Chemicals, Inc. on July 4, 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/ John R. Heskett JOHN R. HESKETT Vice President, Corporate Development and Investor Relations

Dated: July 7, 2008

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