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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)
May 6, 2011

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO., INC.

(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

INDIANA 0-362 35-0827455

(STATE OR OTHER JURISDICTION OF (COMMISSION FILE INCORPORATION OR ORGANIZATION) NUMBER) (I.R.S. EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO.)

400 EAST SPRING STREET BLUFFTON, INDIANA 46714

(ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES)

(ZIP CODE)

(260) 824-2900

(REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE)

No Change

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

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Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

The following information is furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 "Regulation FD Disclosure."

On May 6, 2011, Franklin Electric Co., Inc. issued a press release announcing the declaration of quarterly cash dividends on common stock. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit (99) and hereby incorporated by reference.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO., INC. (Registrant)

Date: May 6, 2011 By /s/ John J. Haines

John J. Haines

Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Secretary (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)