

POTLATCH CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 08, 2008

**UNITED STATES**  
**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: December 8, 2008**

**(Date of Earliest Event Reported)**

**POTLATCH CORPORATION**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction of**

**001-32729**  
**(Commission File Number)**

**82-0156045**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**

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**Incorporation)**

**Identification Number)**

**601 W. First Avenue, Suite 1600, Spokane WA**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**99201**  
**(Zip Code)**

**(509) 835-1500**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- .. 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 December 8, 2008, Potlatch Corporation (the Company) will begin a road show in preparation for the December 16, 2008 spin-off of its wholly owned subsidiary, Clearwater Paper Corporation (the Spin-off). During the road show, the Company will give presentations, which will utilize a slideshow that describes the Spin-off and gives an overview of the Company as it will be constituted after the Spin-off (the Slideshow). The foregoing summary is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Slideshow, a copy of which is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto, and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Potlatch Corporation Slideshow Presentation

SIGNATURE

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.

Dated: December 8, 2008

POTLATCH CORPORATION

By: /s/ Michael S. Gadd  
Name: Michael S Gadd  
Title: Corporate Secretary

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<b>Exhibit</b>	<b>Description of Exhibit</b>
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