Vulcan Materials CO Form 8-K December 12, 2011

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): December 6, 2011

VULCAN MATERIALS COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-33841

20-8579133

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1200 Urban Center Drive Birmingham, Alabama 35242

(Address of principal executive offices) (zip code)

(205) 298-3000

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

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

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On December 6, 2011, Vulcan Materials Company received a 107(a) Imminent Danger Order at its Greystone Sand & Gravel facility located in Greene County, Tennessee. The Imminent Danger Order was issued to Vulcan because a customer truck driver was standing in the back of his dump truck on top of the material leveling the load with a shovel. According to MSHA, the customer truck driver was exposed to a fall hazard of 10 to 15 feet to the ground below. Despite posted warning signs prohibiting this practice, MSHA issued the order to Vulcan rather than to the trucking company.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant had duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Vulcan Materials Company

Date: December 12, 2011 By: /s/ Robert A. Wason IV

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