

CORNING INC /NY  
Form 8-K  
August 17, 2010

**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) August 16, 2010

**CORNING INCORPORATED**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

1-3247  
(Commission  
File Number)

16-0393470  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

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**One Riverfront Plaza, Corning, New York**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**14831**  
(Zip Code)

**(607) 974-9000**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

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

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- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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 August 16, 2010, Corning Incorporated (the Company ) issued a press release announcing the actual total consideration and tender consideration for its previously announced tender offer for notes (the Tender Offer ). On August 17, 2010, the Company issued a press release announcing the results of the Tender Offer as of the early tender date of 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on August 16, 2010. Such press releases are filed as exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 to this Form 8-K and are incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated August 16, 2010, issued by the Company to announce the actual consideration for the Tender Offer.

99.2 Press Release dated August 17, 2010, issued by the Company to announce the results of the Tender Offer as of the early tender date.

**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.

CORNING INCORPORATED  
Registrant

Date: August 17, 2010

By

/s/ VINCENT P. HATTON  
**Vincent P. Hatton**  
**Senior Vice President and General Counsel**

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