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Form 8-K
July 20, 2006

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 (Date of earliest event reported) July 16, 2006

Cytec Industries Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-12372	22-3268660
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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
Five Garret Mountain Plaza West Paterson, NJ		07424
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(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (973) 357-3100

(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 obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions.

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

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On July 16, 2006, Cytec Industries Inc. and certain of its subsidiaries ("Cytec"), and Kemira Oyj ("Kemira") entered into an Asset Purchase Agreement (the "Purchase Agreement") pursuant to which Kemira has agreed to acquire Cytec's water treatment chemicals and acrylamide product lines (the "Product Lines").

Pursuant to the Purchase Agreement, Kemira agreed to pay \$240,000,000 to Cytec for the acquisition of substantially all of the assets of the Product Lines and the acquisition of all of the outstanding shares of a Netherlands subsidiary of Cytec. The closing of the transaction will be completed in two phases. The first phase includes the sale of the Product Lines excluding Cytec's Botlek manufacturing site in the Netherlands. The second phase includes the sale of the Botlek site. Kemira will also assume certain liabilities that are primarily related to the Product Lines. The flow of funds will be such that at the closing of the first phase, Kemira will pay Cytec \$220,000,000 and at the second closing, Kemira will pay Cytec the balance. The purchase price will be subject to an adjustment for changes in the net working capital of the Product Lines.

As part of the transaction, the parties will enter into long term supply agreements pursuant to which Cytec will supply acrylonitrile to Kemira and Kemira will supply acrylamide to Cytec. Pursuant to various manufacturing agreements, Cytec will manufacture certain water treatment products for Kemira and Kemira will manufacture certain mining chemicals and various other products for Cytec.

The transactions contemplated by the Purchase Agreement are subject to customary closing conditions, including that the waiting periods under antitrust laws in the United States, Germany and Norway shall have expired or been terminated, and that there shall not have been a material adverse effect or change in the Product Lines, and in the case of the second phase closing, are also subject to receipt of advice from the local works council.

A press release, dated July 17, 2006, announcing the execution of the Purchase Agreement, is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release, dated July 17, 2006.

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.

Cytec Industries Inc.

(Registrant)

Date: July 19, 2006

By: /s/ Roy Smith

Roy Smith

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Vice President - General Counsel and
Secretary

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Press Release, dated July 17, 2006.