OLIN CORP Form 8-K October 22, 2010

# 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): October 21, 2010

### **OLIN CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Virginia (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 1-1070 (Commission File 13-1872319

(IRS Employer Identification

Number)

No.)

190 Carondelet Plaza, Suite 1530

63105-3443

Clayton, MO

(Zip Code)

(Address of principal executive offices)

(314) 480-1400

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)
Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

## Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

In accordance with General Instruction B.2. of Form 8-K, the following information shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. Olin disclaims any intention or obligation to update or revise this information.

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference, is a copy of the Company's press release dated October 21, 2010, announcing it declared a quarterly dividend of 20 cents on each share of Olin common stock payable on December 10, 2010 to shareholders of record at the close of business on November 10, 2010.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibit No. Exhibit

99.1 Press Release announcing declaration of dividend, dated

October 21, 2010.

### **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.

## **OLIN CORPORATION**

By: /s/ George H. Pain Name: George H. Pain

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

Date: October 21, 2010

# EXHIBIT INDEX

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