



**4826 Hunt Street**

**Pryor, Oklahoma 74361**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**(918) 825-0616**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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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 March 7, 2013, Orchids Paper Products Company (the “Registrant”) announced that on March 6, 2013, at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Directors (the “Board”), the Board authorized an increase in the Registrant’s quarterly cash dividend from \$0.25 per outstanding share to \$0.30 per outstanding share of the Registrant’s common stock. The dividend will be paid to stockholders of record at the close of business on March 19, 2013. The Registrant expects to pay this dividend on March 29, 2013. A copy of the press release issued by the Registrant on March 7, 2013 is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated in this Item 8.01 by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits. See the Exhibit Index which is hereby incorporated by reference.

**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.

**ORCHIDS PAPER  
PRODUCTS COMPANY**

Date: March 7, 2013 By: /s/ Keith R. Schroeder  
Keith R. Schroeder  
Chief Financial Officer

**Exhibit Index**

**Exhibit Description**

99.1 Press Release, dated March 7, 2013, regarding quarterly dividend.