CAMERON INTERNATIONAL CORP Form 8-K October 27, 2011

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 27, 2011

Cameron International Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware

1-13884

76-0451843

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

1333 West Loop South, Suite 1700, Houston, Texas

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On October 27, 2011, Cameron International Corporation ("Cameron") issued a press release announcing its results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2011. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference into this item.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following is being furnished as an exhibit to this report:

Exhibit	
Number	Exhibit Title or Description
Exhibit	Press Release of Cameron International Corporation, dated October 27, 2011 – Cameron Third Quarter
99.1	Earnings Per Share \$0.78, Excluding Charges

Exhibit 99.1 to this report contains "non-GAAP financial measures" as defined in Item 10 of Regulation S-K of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The non-GAAP financial measures reflect earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization expense ("EBITDA") and adjusted EPS. A reconciliation of EBITDA and adjusted EPS to the most directly comparable financial measures calculated and presented in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in the United States ("GAAP") is included as an attachment to the press release. The Company believes the presentation of EBITDA and adjusted EPS are useful to the Company's investors because (i) EBITDA is an appropriate measure of evaluating the Company's operating performance and liquidity that reflects the resources available for strategic opportunities including, among others, investing in the business, strengthening the balance sheet, repurchasing the Company's securities and making strategic acquisitions and (ii) adjusted EPS is useful in analyzing the company's on-going earnings potential and understanding certain significant items impacting the comparability of our results. In addition, EBITDA and adjusted EPS are widely used benchmarks in the investment community.

The presentation of this additional information is not meant to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for the Company's financial results prepared in accordance with GAAP.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

CAMERON INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION By: /s/ Charles M. Sledge Charles M. Sledge Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: October 27, 2011

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