

# CASTLE A M & CO

## **FORM 8-K** (Current report filing)

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Address	1420 KENSINGTON ROAD SUITE 220 OAK BROOK, IL 60523
Telephone	8474557111
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Symbol	CAS
SIC Code	5051 - Metals Service Centers and Offices
Industry	Misc. Fabricated Products
Sector	Basic Materials
Fiscal Year	12/31

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report: **August 5, 2011**  
(Date of earliest event reported)

**A. M. CASTLE & CO.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Maryland**  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**1-5415**  
(Commission File Number)

**36-0879160**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**1420 Kensington Road, Suite 220  
Oak Brook, IL 60523**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number including area code: **(847) 455-7111**

**Not Applicable**  
(Former name or former address if changed since last report.)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13 e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13 e-4(c))
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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

(b) On August 5, 2011, A. M. Castle & Co. (the “Company”) announced that Stephen V. Hooks, the Company’s Executive Vice President and President, Castle Metals, will be retiring from the Company at the end of March 2012. Mr. Hooks will be succeeded by Blain A. Tiffany, who currently serves as the Company’s Vice President and President, Castle Metals Aerospace. Mr. Hooks will be facilitating a transition of his responsibilities to Mr. Tiffany through December 31, 2011, and will work on special assignments thereafter until his retirement.

**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.

August 5, 2011

**A. M. CASTLE & CO.**

By: /s/ Robert J. Perna  
Robert J. Perna  
Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary