

CRANE CO /DE/  
Form 8-K  
November 12, 2010

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON, DC 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): November 12, 2010**

**CRANE CO.**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**DELAWARE**

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

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**1-1657**  
(Commission File Number)

**13-1952290**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**100 First Stamford Place, Stamford, CT**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**06902**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (203) 363-7300**

N/A

(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))

**INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THIS REPORT**

**SECTION 8 OTHER EVENTS**

**ITEM 8.01 Other Events**

On November 12, 2010, Crane Co. issued a press release announcing that it had executed a definitive agreement with CA-MC Acquisition Co. to acquire its Money Controls business, located near Manchester, England. The transaction is subject to antitrust review in Germany and is expected to close by mid-December.

**Section 9 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(a) None

(b) None

(c) None

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated November 12, 2010, issued by Crane Co.

**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.

CRANE CO.

Dated: November 12, 2010

By: /s/ Andrew L. Krawitt  
Andrew L. Krawitt  
Vice President, Treasurer  
Principal Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release dated November 12, 2010, issued by Crane Co.