

NORD RESOURCES CORP  
Form 8-K  
October 20, 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

October 19, 2010

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

NORD RESOURCES CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

1-08733

85-0212139

(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1 West Wetmore Road, Suite 203  
Tucson, Arizona

85705

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

520-292-0266

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

Not applicable.

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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SECTION 8 - OTHER EVENTS

Item 8.01 Other Events

On October 19, 2010, Nord Resources Corporation ("Nord" or the "Company") issued a news release announcing that the Company has received an Aquifer Protection Permit for the Johnson Camp Mine property from the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality.

The Company further announced that it is continuing to focus on maximizing its cash flow, leaching ore previously mined, crushed, and placed on its three existing pads. While it is not mining and crushing new ore, the Company has been working on developing a comprehensive program to gain a better understanding of the Johnson Camp Mine's ore body and to optimize the company's mine plan.

A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

SECTION 9 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Exhibit
99.1	News release of Nord Resources Corporation dated October 19, 2010*

\* Filed herewith.

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.

NORD RESOURCES CORPORATION

DATE: October 20, 2010

By: */s/ Randy Davenport*

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**Randy Davenport**  
**Chief Executive Officer**