

WILLAMETTE INDUSTRIES INC
Form SC TO-T/A
February 08, 2001

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE TO

(Amendment No. 16)

TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(d) (1) OR 13(e) (1)
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

WILLAMETTE INDUSTRIES, INC.
(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))

COMPANY HOLDINGS, INC.
WEYERHAEUSER COMPANY
(Names of Filing Persons -- Offerors)

COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.50 PER SHARE
(Title of Class of Securities)

969133107
(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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Notices and Communications on Behalf of Filing Persons)

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This Statement amends and supplements the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 29, 2000 (as previously amended, the "Schedule TO"), relating to the offer by Company Holdings, Inc., a Washington corporation (the "Purchaser") and a wholly owned subsidiary of Weyerhaeuser Company, a Washington corporation ("Parent"), to purchase (1) all outstanding shares ("Shares") of common stock, par value \$0.50 per share, of Willamette Industries, Inc., an Oregon corporation (the "Company"), and (2) unless and until validly redeemed by the Board of Directors of the Company, the related rights to purchase shares of Series B Junior Participating Preferred Stock, \$0.50 par value per share, of the Company (the "Rights") issued pursuant to the Rights Agreement, dated as of February 25, 2000 by and between the Company and ChaseMellon Shareholder Services L.L.C., as Rights Agent, at a price of \$48.00 per Share, net to the seller in cash, without interest, upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Offer to Purchase (the "Offer to Purchase"), dated November 29, 2000, and in the related Letter of Transmittal (which, together with any supplements or amendments, collectively constitute the "Offer"). Unless the context otherwise requires, all references to the Shares shall be deemed to include the associated Rights, and all references to the Rights shall be deemed to include the benefits that may inure to holders of Rights pursuant to the Rights Agreement.

Capitalized terms used herein and not defined herein have the respective meanings assigned such terms in the Offer to Purchase and the Schedule TO.

Item 5. Past Contacts, Transactions, Negotiations and Agreements.

On February 7, 2001, Mr. Rogel telephoned Mr. Swindells to express Parent's desire to meet and negotiate a business combination, in light of the tender results at the time of the most recent extension of the Offer. Mr. Swindells indicated that the Company's position with respect to the Offer had not changed and declined Mr. Rogel's invitation to negotiate or otherwise discuss a business combination transaction between Parent and the Company.

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SIGNATURES

After due inquiry and to the best of their knowledge and belief, the undersigned hereby certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

COMPANY HOLDINGS, INC.,

by

/s/ STEVEN R. ROGEL

Name: Steven R. Rogel
Title: President

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by

/s/ STEVEN R. ROGEL

Name: Steven R. Rogel
Title: President and Chief
Executive Officer

Dated: February 8, 2001

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