CASTLE A M & CO Form SC 13D August 20, 2012

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

A.M. Castle & Co.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value

(Title of Class of Securities)

148411101 (CUSIP Number)

c/o Ryerson Inc.
227 W. Monroe, 27th Floor
Chicago, Illinois 60606
Attention: Edward J. Lehner
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
(312) 292-5020

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

(with copies to)

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August 8, 2012

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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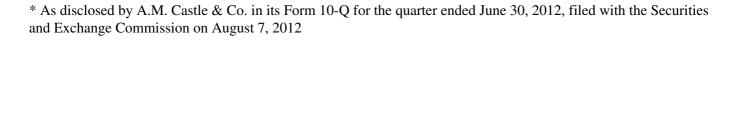
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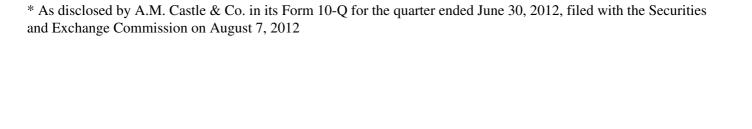
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