

NEWMONT MINING CORP /DE/
Form 8-K
March 11, 2011

**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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): March 9, 2011

Newmont Mining Corporation
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware (State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) | 001-31240 (Commission File Number) | 84-1611629 (IRS Employer Identification No.) |
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| 6363 South Fiddlers Green Circle Greenwood Village, Colorado (Address of Principal Executive Offices) | 80111 (Zip Code) |
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(303) 863-7414**

Not Applicable

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

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS.

On July 21, 2010, the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (the Act) was enacted. Section 1503 of the Act contains new reporting requirements regarding mine safety, including disclosing on a Current Report on Form 8-K the receipt of an imminent danger order under section 107(a) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 (an Order) issued by the federal Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA).

On March 9, 2011, Boart Longyear Company, an independent contractor for Newmont USA Limited (the Company), a wholly owned subsidiary of Newmont Mining Corporation, received a verbal Order by MSHA at the Leeville mine alleging that sections of steel water well casing staged at a well site were not properly secured to prevent potential movement. The Company was not cited. The casing was secured and the Order was immediately terminated. No accident or injury occurred and no adverse impact on the Company s operations at the Leeville mine resulted from the condition alleged in the Order.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

By: /s/ Jeffrey K. Reeser

Name: Jeffrey K. Reeser

Title: Vice President and Secretary

Dated: March 11, 2011

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