

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

March 9, 1995
(Date of Report, date of earliest event reported)

VALHI, INC.
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	1-5467 (Commission File Number)	87-0110150 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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5430 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1700, Dallas, TX (Address of principal executive offices)	75240-2697 (Zip Code)
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(214) 233-1700
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not applicable
(Former name or address, if changed since last report)

Item 5: Other Events

On March 9, 1995, the Registrant issued the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 which is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 7: Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information
and Exhibits

(c) Exhibit

Item No.	Exhibit Index
99.1	Press release dated March 9, 1995 issued by the Registrant

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.

VALHI, INC.
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Steven L. Watson
Steven L. Watson
Vice President & Secretary

Date: March 9, 1995

VALHI ANNOUNCES DIVIDEND INCREASE

DALLAS, TEXAS . . . March 9, 1995 . . . Valhi, Inc. (NYSE:VHI) announced today that it is increasing the regular quarterly dividend on its common stock from two cents (\$.02) per share to three cents (\$.03) per share and that its Board of Directors has declared a first quarter dividend of three cents (\$.03) per share, payable March 31, 1995, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 22, 1995.

Valhi, Inc., headquartered in Dallas, Texas, is engaged in the chemicals, refined sugar, building products and other industries.