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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):

September 8, 2011

CORE MOLDING TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

001-12505

31-1481870

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

800 Manor Park Drive, Columbus, Ohio

43228-0183

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

614-870-5000

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On September 8, 2011 Core Molding Technologies, Inc. ("the Company") issued a press release announcing that Malcolm M. Prine, the Company's Chairman of the Board, had passed away. Attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report is the Company's September 8, 2011 press release, which is incorporated by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibit 99.1: Core Molding Technologies September 8, 2011 Press Release (attached hereto).

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**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.

CORE MOLDING TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

*September 8, 2011*

By: *Herman F. Dick, Jr*

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*Name: Herman F. Dick, Jr*

*Title: Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Chief  
Financial Officer*

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## Exhibit Index

**Exhibit No.**

**Description**

99.1

Press release

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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**CORE MOLDING TECHNOLOGIES CHAIRMAN MALCOLM M. PRINE PASSES AWAY.**

COLUMBUS, Ohio – September 8, 2011 – Core Molding Technologies, Inc. (NYSE Amex: CMT) today announced that Malcolm (Mac) M. Prine, Chairman of the Board of Directors, passed away on September 6. Prine was 83-years-old and had been Chairman of Core since its beginning in 1996. No immediate successor to Prine has been announced.

“We could always count on Mac to be thorough and share his advice and direction succinctly,” said Kevin L. Barnett, President and Chief Executive Officer. “We will truly miss his wisdom, his encouragement, his leadership and his friendship. Mac’s contributions to Core were extensive, starting from the formation of our Company to actively supporting our growth over the past 15 years.”

Prine’s hard work and determination will live on. “On behalf of everyone at Core, we would like to extend our sympathies to Mac’s wife, Barbara, his children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and the rest of his family and friends,” Barnett said. “Mac touched many people in our Company and he will be greatly missed.”

Core Molding Technologies, Inc. is a compounder of sheet molding composites (SMC) and molder of fiberglass reinforced plastics. Core specializes in large-format moldings and offers a wide range of fiberglass processes, including compression molding of sheet molding compounds (SMC), long fiber thermoplastics (LFTP) and bulk molding compounds (BMC), spray-up, lay-up, resin transfer (RTM) and vacuum resin transfer molding (V-RTM), and vacuum bagging. Additionally, the company offers liquid molding of dicyclopentadiene (DCPD). Core serves a wide variety of markets, including the medium and heavy-duty truck, marine, automotive, and other commercial products. Headquartered in Columbus, OH, Core operates plants in Columbus and Batavia, Ohio; Gaffney, South Carolina; and Matamoros, Mexico. For further information, visit the company’s website at [www.coremt.com](http://www.coremt.com).

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