NEWPORT CORP Form 8-K July 19, 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): July 19, 2011

NEWPORT CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada (State or other jurisdiction

000-01649 (Commission 94-0849175 (IRS Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

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1791	Deer	e Av	enue,	Irvine,	Califo	rnia
(Ac	ldress	of pr	incipa	l executi	ve offic	es)

92606 (Zip Code)

(949) 863-3144

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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

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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 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On July 19, 2011, Newport Corporation (the Registrant) published presentation materials that it intends to use for investor meetings. A copy of the materials, entitled Newport Investor Presentation , has been posted in the Corporate Presentations section of the Investor Information page at www.newport.com.

Neither this information nor the referenced materials shall be deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall they be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing by the Registrant under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, except as may be set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

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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.

NEWPORT CORPORATION

Date: July 19, 2011 By: /s/ Jeffrey B. Coyne

Jeffrey B. Coyne

Senior Vice President, General Counsel and

Corporate Secretary