

AK STEEL HOLDING CORP  
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Prospectus dated April 26, 2010

Registration Statement No. 333-166303

**AK Steel Corporation ( AK Steel )**

**Pricing Term Sheet**

**\$300,000,000 8.375% Notes due 2022**

<b>Issuer:</b>	<b>AK Steel Corporation</b>
<b>Guarantee:</b>	The Notes will be fully and unconditionally guaranteed on a senior unsecured basis by AK Steel Holding Corporation ( AK Holding ), the parent of AK Steel.
<b>Security Type:</b>	Senior Notes
<b>Ratings:*</b>	B2 / BB-
<b>Pricing Date:</b>	March 19, 2012
<b>Settlement Date:</b>	March 22, 2012 (T + 3)
<b>Principal Amount:</b>	US \$300,000,000
<b>Maturity:</b>	April 1, 2022
<b>Benchmark:</b>	2.000% UST Due 02/15/2022
<b>Spread to Benchmark:</b>	+601 bps
<b>Coupon:</b>	8.375%
<b>Price to Public:</b>	100.000%
<b>Yield to Maturity:</b>	8.375%
<b>Interest Payment Dates:</b>	April 1 and October 1, commencing October 1, 2012
<b>Issuer:</b>	<b>AK Steel Corporation</b>
<b>Optional Redemption:</b>	The Notes will be redeemable at AK Steel's option at any time before April 1, 2017 at a redemption price equal to the principal amount of Notes being redeemed plus a make-whole premium of the Treasury Rate as of such redemption date plus 50 basis points plus accrued and unpaid interest to the redemption date.

The Notes will be redeemable at AK Steel's option, in whole or in part, at any time on and after April 1, 2017 at the redemption price for the Notes (expressed as a percentage of principal amount) set forth below, plus accrued and unpaid interest to the redemption date, if redeemed during the twelve-month period commencing on April 1 of the years indicated below:

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Year	Redemption Price
2017	104.188%
2018	102.792%
2019	101.396%
2020 (and thereafter)	100.000%

At any time prior to April 1, 2015, AK Steel may redeem up to 35% of the principal amount of the Notes with the proceeds of offerings of AK Holding's shares of common stock at a redemption price of 108.375% of the principal amount of the notes, plus accrued and unpaid interest to the redemption date, if any.

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Use of Proceeds: We intend to use the net proceeds from this offering to repay borrowings under the asset-backed revolving credit facility of AK Steel.

Joint Book-Running Managers: Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated

J.P. Morgan Securities LLC

Citigroup Global Markets Inc.

Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC

Deutsche Bank Securities Inc.

Wells Fargo Securities, LLC

Co-Managers: Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated

Barclays Capital Inc.

FBR Capital Markets & Co.

Fifth Third Securities, Inc.

Goldman, Sachs & Co.

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Issuer: **AK Steel Corporation**  
PNC Capital Markets LLC

UBS Securities LLC

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