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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)

NOVELIS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

CANADA	001-32312	
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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
3399 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1500, Atlanta, GA		30326
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(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (404) 814-4200

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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

The Board of Directors of Novelis Inc. declared on July 27, 2005, a quarterly dividend of US\$0.09 per common share, payable September 20, 2005, to shareholders of record at the close of business August 22, 2005. Refer to attached Exhibit 99.1 for details.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION
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99.1	Press release of Novelis Inc., issued on July 27, 2005

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.

NOVELIS INC.

(Registrant)

Date: July 27, 2005

/s/ DAVID KENNEDY

David Kennedy
Secretary

NOVELIS DECLARES QUARTERLY DIVIDEND

ATLANTA, July 27 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Novelis Inc.'s (NYSE: NVL; Toronto) Board of Directors today declared a quarterly dividend of US\$0.09 per Common Share, payable September 20, 2005, to shareholders of record at the close of business August 22, 2005.

(Logo: <http://www.newscom.com/cgi-bin/prnh/20050105/CLW073LOGO>)
There are approximately 74 million Common Shares outstanding.

Novelis, which was spun-off by Alcan effective Jan. 6, 2005, is the global leader in aluminum rolled products and aluminum can recycling. Novelis has 36 operating facilities in 11 countries and more than 13,000 dedicated employees. Novelis has the unique ability to provide its customers with a regional supply of high-end rolled aluminum products throughout Asia, Europe, North America, and South America. Through its advanced production capabilities, Novelis supplies aluminum sheet and foil to the automotive and transportation, beverage and food packaging, construction and industrial, and printing markets. For more information on the company, visit <http://www.novelis.com>.

Statements made in this news release which describe the Company's intentions, expectations or predictions may be forward-looking statements within the meaning of securities laws. The Company cautions that, by their nature, forward-looking statements involve risk and uncertainty and that the Company's actual results could differ materially from those expressed or implied in such statements. Reference should be made to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission for a discussion of major risk factors.

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