Compass Group Diversified Holdings LLC Form 8-K October 11, 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): October 10, 2011

COMPASS DIVERSIFIED HOLDINGS

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

0-51937 (Commission 57-6218917 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

COMPASS GROUP DIVERSIFIED HOLDINGS LLC

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction 0-51938 (Commission 20-3812051 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)
Sixty One Wilton Road

Identification No.)

Second Floor

Westport, CT 06880

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (203) 221-1703

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

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Section 8 Other Events

Item 8.01 Other Events.

Compass Group Diversified Holdings LLC and Compass Diversified Holdings (NYSE: CODI) (collectively CODI or the Company) reported that CODI will make a cash distribution of \$0.36 per share for the third quarter 2011. The distribution is payable on October 31, 2011 to shareholders of record on the close of business on October 25, 2011. A copy of the press release announcing such distribution is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Press Release dated October 10, 2011.

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.

Date: October 11, 2011 COMPASS DIVERSIFIED HOLDINGS

By: /s/ James J. Bottiglieri

James J. Bottiglieri Regular Trustee

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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.

Date: October 11, 2011 COMPASS GROUP DIVERSIFIED HOLDINGS LLC

By: /s/ James J. Bottiglieri

James J. Bottiglieri Chief Financial Officer