GLATFELTER PHCO Form 8-K September 12, 2014

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 12, 2014

P. H. Glatfelter Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania	001-03560	23-0628360
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
96 S. George Street, Suite 520, York, Pennsylvania		17401
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code:		717 225 4711
	Not Applicable	
Former nam	ne or former address, if changed since l	ast report

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P. H. Glatfelter Company issued a press release today announcing it entered into a definitive agreement to purchase all of the outstanding equity of Spezialpapierfabrik Oberschmitten GmbH (SPO) from FINSPO Beteiligungs-GmbH for &8.5 million (approximately U.S.&11 million). SPO has annual sales of approximately &25 million (U.S.&33 million). The proposed transaction is expected to close by early October.

A copy of the press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 - A copy of the press release announcing a definitive agreement to purchase of Spezialpapierfabrik Oberschmitten GmbH from FINSPO Beteiligungs-GmbH.

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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.

P. H. Glatfelter Company

September 12, 2014 By: /s/ John P. Jacunski

Name: John P. Jacunski

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release announcing definitive agreement to purchase Spezialpapierfabrik Oberschmitten GmbH.