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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 12, 2011**

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**QUANEX BUILDING PRODUCTS CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-33913**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**26-1561397**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**1900 West Loop South, Suite 1500, Houston, Texas 77027**  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 713-961-4600**

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

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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)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  - 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))
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**Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On Monday, December 12, 2011, the Company issued a press release announcing that it had changed the record date for its previously declared dividend payment, from December 15, 2011, to December 22, 2011. The Company also announced that there was no revision to the previously declared dividend payment date or dividend payment amount. The foregoing is qualified by reference to the Press Release announcing the change in record date, which is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

This information shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”), or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibit 99.1. Press Release dated December 12, 2011.

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**QUANEX BUILDING PRODUCTS CORPORATION**

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(Registrant)

/s/ Kevin P. Delaney

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Kevin P. Delaney

*Senior Vice President – General Counsel and  
Secretary*

**December 13, 2011**

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(Date)

**Exhibit Index**

Exhibit 99.1. Press Release dated December 12, 2011.



# Press Release

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

## Quanex Changes Dividend Record Date; Payment Amount and Date Unchanged

**HOUSTON, December 12, 2011** – Quanex Building Products Corporation (NYSE:NX) today announced that it revised the dividend declaration announced in its news release issued today. The record date has been changed from December 15, 2011, to December 22, 2011. The dividend payment date remains December 30, 2011, and the payment amount remains \$0.04 per share.

**Quanex Building Products Corporation** is an industry-leading manufacturer of value-added, engineered products and components, serving the energy-efficient building products markets. It is an ROIC-driven company that grows shareholder returns through a combination of organic growth via new products, programs and strategic acquisitions. For more information, visit [www.quanex.com](http://www.quanex.com).

*Statements that use the words "estimated," "expect," "could," "should," "believe," "will," "might," or similar words reflecting future expectations or beliefs are forward-looking statements. The forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, references to synergies derived from the acquisition of Edgetech, future operating results and financial condition of Quanex and future uses of cash. The statements in this release are based on current expectations. Actual results or events may differ materially from this release. Factors that could impact future results may include, without limitation, the effect of both domestic and global economic conditions, the impact of competitive products and pricing, the availability and cost of raw materials, and customer demand. For a more complete discussion of factors that may affect the company's future performance, please refer to the company's 10-K filing on December 20, 2010, under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, in particular the section titled, "Private Securities Litigation Reform Act" contained therein.*

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