

UNITIL CORP  
Form 8-K  
June 28, 2013

**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 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): June 26, 2013**

**UNITIL CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**New Hampshire**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

**1-8858**  
(Commission

File Number)

**02-0381573**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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**6 Liberty Lane West, Hampton, New Hampshire**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**03842-1720**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (603) 772-0775**

**N/A**

**(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:

- .. 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))

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure**

On June 26, 2013, the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission ( NHPUC ) approved a settlement agreement providing for a \$2.5 million temporary rate increase effective July 1, 2013 for the New Hampshire division of Northern Utilities, Inc. ( Northern Utilities ), Unitil Corporation's natural gas distribution utility subsidiary. The settlement agreement was a result of Northern Utilities' base rate case filing earlier this year in April 2013 which included a request for temporary rates, a \$5.2 million permanent increase in base revenue and the recovery of future capital costs associated with operational and safety-related improvements and upgrades. A final rate order on the filing is expected in mid-2014. Once permanent rates are approved by the NHPUC, they will be reconciled to the date temporary rates were established, July 1, 2013.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

| <b>Number</b> | <b>Exhibit</b>                             |
|---------------|--|
| 99.1          | NHPUC Order No. 25,529 dated June 26, 2013 |

**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.

UNITIL CORPORATION

By: /s/ Mark H. Collin  
Mark H. Collin  
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and  
Treasurer

Date: June 28, 2013

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