

SPARTON CORP  
Form 8-K  
November 03, 2008

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 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 30, 2008**  
**Sparton Corporation**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)  
Ohio  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-1000

38-1054690

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

2400 East Ganson Street, Jackson, Michigan

49202

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(517) 787-8600

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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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 5.03. Amendment to Articles of Incorporation or By-Laws; Change in Fiscal Year.**

On October 30, 2008, the Board of Directors of Sparton Corporation (the Company ) adopted certain amendments to the Company s By-Laws, effective immediately, to effect the following changes:

1. The amendment of Article V to add the office of Chief Executive Officer to the required officers of the Company and to establish the duties and responsibilities of the Chief Executive Officer, with additional amendments to Articles I, II, III, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, and XV to reflect the addition of the office.
2. The addition of a new Article VI to establish the duties and responsibilities of the President of the Company.
3. The renumbering of Articles VII through XVIII, inclusive, to reflect the addition of the new Article VI.
3. An expansion of the methods and more complete definition of the methods by which notice may be given for meetings of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee by the amendment of Articles I, II and XVII.
4. The amendment of Article I by the addition of a new paragraph four to provide for the conduct of meetings of the Board of Directors through the use of telephonic and other communication devices.
5. The amendment of Articles IV, V, VII, X, XII, and XIII to eliminate gender specific references to officers and individuals.

The above summary is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the By-Laws which appear as Exhibit 3.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

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

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit 3.1 By-Laws of Sparton Corporation, as amended October 30, 2008.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

SPARTON CORPORATION

By: /s/ Richard L. Langley  
Richard L. Langley, President

Date: November 3, 2008

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

Number	Description
Exhibit 3.1	By-Laws of Sparton Corporation, as amended October 30, 2008.