

Mechel OAO
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FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

**Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16
under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

February 10, 2006

Commission File Number: 001-32328

MECHEL OAO

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Krasnopresnenskaya Naberezhnaya 12

Moscow 123610

Russian Federation

(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

Form 20-F Form 40-F

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Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1):

Yes No

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Yes No

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Indicate by check mark whether by furnishing the information contained in this Form, the registrant is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934:

Yes No

If Yes is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):

MECHEL ANNOUNCES A CHANGE IN SHAREHOLDER STRUCTURE

Moscow, Russia February 10, 2006 Mechel OAO (NYSE: MTL) has announced that Igor Zyuzin, Chairman of the Board, will increase his stake to a controlling interest.

Mechel's core shareholders have reached an agreement pursuant to which Mr. Zyuzin, Chairman of the Board, will purchase a 42.2% stake from Mechel's CEO, Vladimir Iorich, over the course of the next twelve months. Mr. Zyuzin is considering several financing options for the transaction, including through a potential capital markets or strategic transaction. Regardless of the financing selected, he will retain at least a 51% stake.

Additionally, over the course of the coming year, Mr. Iorich will gradually transition his responsibilities as CEO to Mechel's current Chief Operating Officer, Alexei Ivanushkin. Mr. Ivanushkin has acted as COO since January 2004 and a member of the Board of Directors since March 2003. From March 2003 to January 2004 he acted as CEO of Mechel, and from December 1999 to April 2002 he was General Director of Chelyabinsk Metallurgical Plant, Mechel's primary steel-making subsidiary.

Mr. Iorich will continue to serve as CEO and a member of the Board of Directors during the transition period. Mr. Igor Zyuzin will continue in his position of the Chairman of the Board.

Mechel's CEO Vladimir Iorich commented: We have built Mechel into one of Russia's leading mining and steel companies, fulfilling a strategy of strong and profitable growth, efficiency and transparency. Having been a founding shareholder and CEO for many years, I feel that we have built a solid platform for the future. I am confident that Alexei Ivanushkin, who has been part of our growth story and a member of our team for many years, will lead the company into the future and drive performance and shareholder value. I will do all I can to support him in a smooth transition.

Mechel's Chairman Mr. Zyuzin noted: As one of Mechel's founders, Mr. Iorich has greatly contributed to turning it into a strong company that has gained international respect through both its performance and its IPO on the NYSE. With Mr. Iorich's continuing involvement, and building on Mechel's existing platform, we are confident that we will successfully execute on our initiatives to further improve financial and operational performance.

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Mechel's COO, Alexei Ivanushkin added: I am happy that my experience and energy will be employed to fulfill such a challenging task. I am looking forward, together with our highly professional management team, to driving Mechel's performance in the future.

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Mechel is one of the leading Russian mining and metals companies. Mechel unites producers of coal, iron ore, nickel, steel, rolled products, and hardware. Mechel products are marketed domestically and internationally.

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Some of the information in this press release may contain projections or other forward-looking statements regarding future events or the future financial performance of Mechel, as defined in the safe harbor provisions of the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. We wish to caution you that these statements are only predictions and that actual events or results may differ materially. We do not intend to update these statements. We refer you to the documents Mechel files from time to time with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, including our Form 20-F. These documents contain and identify important factors, including those contained in the section captioned "Risk Factors" and

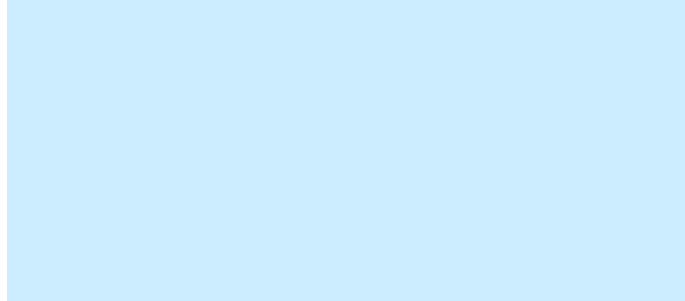
Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements" in our Form 20-F, that could cause the actual results to differ materially from those contained in our projections or forward-looking statements, including, among others, the achievement of anticipated levels of profitability, growth, cost and synergy of our recent acquisitions, the impact of competitive pricing, the ability to obtain necessary regulatory approvals and licenses, the impact of developments in the Russian economic, political and legal environment, volatility in stock markets or in the price of our shares or ADRs, financial risk management and the impact of general business and global economic conditions.

MECHEL REPORTS ITS PRODUCTION RESULTS FOR 2005

Moscow, Russia February 10, 2006 Mechel OAO (NYSE: MTL), a leading Russian integrated mining and metals company, has announced today its production results for 2005.

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PRODUCT	2005 as compared to 2004,	
	2005, thousand tonnes	%
Coal	15,646	0
Coking coal	8,583	- 8
Steam coal	7,063	+ 12
Iron ore concentrate	4,522	+ 17
Nickel	12.6	- 1
Coke	2,589	- 12



Name of Reporting Person

S.S. or I.R.S. Identification No. of Above Person

Columbia Marsico 21st Century Fund

IRS No. 13-4108364

2) Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group

(a) (b)

* This filing describes the reporting person's relationship with other persons, but the reporting person does not affirm the existence of a group.
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3)

4)

Citizenship or Place of Organization

Delaware

5)

Sole Voting Power

NUMBER OF
SHARES

6)

0
Shared
Voting
Power

BENEFICIALLY

OWNED BY

7)

0
Sole
Dispositive
Power

EACH

REPORTING

PERSON

WITH

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8)

Shared
Dispositive
Power

0

9) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person

0

10) Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares

Not Applicable

11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount In Row (9)

0.00%

12) Type of Reporting Person

IV

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1(a) Name of Issuer: Park Sterling Corp.
1(b) Address of Issuer's Principal: 1043 E Morehead St., Suite 201
Executive Offices: Charlotte, NC 28204
2(a) Name of Person Filing: (a) Ameriprise Financial, Inc. (AFI)
(b) Columbia Management Investment
Advisers, LLC (CMIA)
(c) Columbia Marsico 21st Century Fund (Fund)
2(b) Address of Principal Business Office: (a) Ameriprise Financial, Inc.
145 Ameriprise Financial Center
Minneapolis, MN 55474
(b) 225 Franklin St.
Boston, MA 02110
(c) 225 Franklin St.
Boston, MA 02110
2(c) Citizenship: (a) Delaware
(b) Minnesota
(c) Delaware
2(d) Title of Class of Securities: Common Stock
2(e) Cusip Number: 70086Y105

3 Information if statement is filed pursuant to Rules 13d-1(b) or 13d-2(b):

(a) Ameriprise Financial, Inc.

A parent holding company in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G). (Note: See Item 7)

(b) Columbia Management Investment Advisers, LLC

An investment adviser in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E)

(c) Columbia Marsico 21st Century Fund

An investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940.

4 Incorporated by reference to Items (5)-(9) and (11) of the cover page pertaining to each reporting person.

CMIA and AFI do not directly own any shares of Common Stock of the issuer. As the investment adviser to the Fund and various other unregistered and registered investment companies and other managed accounts, CMIA may be deemed to beneficially own the shares reported herein by the Fund. Accordingly, the shares reported herein by CMIA include those shares separately reported herein by the Fund.

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As the parent holding company of CMIA, AFI may be deemed to beneficially own the shares reported herein by CMIA. Accordingly, the shares reported herein by AFI include those shares separately reported herein by CMIA.

Each of AFI and CMIA, and the subsidiaries identified on the attached Exhibit I, disclaims beneficial ownership of any shares reported on this Schedule.

5 Ownership of 5% or Less of a Class:

If this statement is being filed to report the fact as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following .

6 Ownership of more than 5% on Behalf of Another Person: Not Applicable

7 Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company:
AFI: See Exhibit I

8 Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:
Not Applicable

9 Notice of Dissolution of Group:
Not Applicable

10 Certification:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired for the purpose of and do not have the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of such securities and were not acquired in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purposes or effect.

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Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 13, 2012

Ameriprise Financial, Inc.

By: /s/ Wade M. Voigt
Name: Wade M. Voigt
Title: Vice President Fund Administration

Financial Reporting

Columbia Management Investment
Advisers, LLC

By: /s/ Amy Johnson
Name: Amy Johnson
Title: Chief Operating Officer

Columbia Marsico 21st Century Fund

By: /s/ Scott R. Plummer
Name: Scott R. Plummer
Title: Senior Vice President, Secretary and Chief Legal
Officer

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Exhibit Index

- Exhibit I Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company.
- Exhibit II Joint Filing Agreement