#### 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): December 3, 2020



Newpark Resources, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

Delaware

001-02960 (Commission File Number)

72-1123385 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

9320 Lakeside Boulevard, Suite 100 The Woodlands, Texas

(Address of principal executive offices)

77381 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (281) 362-6800

**Not Applicable** 

(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) 

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 240.13a-4(c)) 

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	NR	New York Stock Exchange
Rights to Purchase Series D Junior Participating Preferred Stock	N/A	New York Stock Exchange

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company  $\Box$ 

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.  $\Box$ 

## Item 8.01. Other Events.

On December 3, 2020, Newpark Resources, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that the Company received written notification from the New York Stock Exchange (the "NYSE") confirming that the Company has regained compliance with the continued listing standard set forth in Section 802.01C of the NYSE Listed Company Manual. The Company regained compliance under Section 802.01C after its closing share price on November 30, 2020 and its average closing share price for the 30 trading-day period ending November 30, 2020 both exceeded \$1.00 per share.

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

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release issued by Newpark Resources, Inc. on December 3, 2020.
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (formatted as Inline XBRL and contained in Exhibit 101)

# 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.

NEWPARK RESOURCES, INC. (Registrant)

Date: December 3, 2020

By: /s/ Gregg S. Piontek

Gregg S. Piontek Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

# **NEWS RELEASE**



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

# NEWPARK RESOURCES REGAINS COMPLIANCE WITH NYSE LISTING STANDARDS

THE WOODLANDS, TX – December 3, 2020 – Newpark Resources, Inc. (NYSE: NR) ("Newpark" or the "Company") announced today that it received written notification from the New York Stock Exchange (the "NYSE") that it has regained compliance with the NYSE continued listing standards.

As previously disclosed, on November 4, 2020, the Company received formal notice from the NYSE that it was not in compliance with the NYSE's continued listing standards as a result of the average closing price of the Company's common stock being less than \$1.00 per share during a consecutive 30 trading-day period.

The Company regained compliance after its closing share price on November 30, 2020 and its average closing share price for the 30 trading-day period ending November 30, 2020 both exceeded \$1.00. Accordingly, the Company has resumed compliance under the NYSE continued listing standard and the ".BC" indicator following the Company's symbol "NR" will be removed by the NYSE.

Newpark Resources, Inc. is a geographically diversified supplier providing products, as well as rentals and services to a variety of industries, including oil and gas exploration, electrical transmission & distribution, pipeline, renewable energy, petrochemical, and construction industries. For more information, visit our website at <u>www.newpark.com</u>.

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