WESTPORT INNOVATIONS INC Form 6-K October 12, 2011

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 6-K

### REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of October, 2011

Commission File Number: 001-34152

## WESTPORT INNOVATIONS INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Suite 101, 1750 West 75th Avenue, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, V6P 6G2

(Address of principal executive offices)

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## EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description

99.1 News Release dated October 12, 2011 - Westport Acquires Alternative Fuel Vehicle Sweden AB, European Natural Gas System Supplier to Volvo Cars

### 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.

Westport Innovations Inc. (Registrant)

Date: October 12, 2011

By:

/s/ Bill Larkin Bill Larkin Chief Financial Officer