Pricing Supplement No. 8 Filing under Rule 424(b)(3)
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(To Prospectus dated May 11, 1995 and Prospectus Supplement dated May 12, 1995)

## AVERY DENNISON CORPORATION

Medium-Term Notes, Series C Due from 9 Months to 30 Years from Date of Issue

The Medium-Term Note(s) due from 9 months to 30 years from the date of issue offered concurrently herewith will have a: \_X\_ fixed rate of interest, \_\_\_\_\_ floating rate of interest; and will be issued initially as: \_X\_ a Global Note, \_\_\_\_ Certificated Notes.

Principal amount: \$10,000,000 Interest rate basis (if floating rate): N/A Interest Rate (if fixed rate): 6.98% \_\_\_\_\_ Commercial Paper Rate \_\_\_\_\_ Prime Rate Stated Maturity: June 1, 2005 Specified Currency: U.S. Dollars \_\_\_\_\_LIBOR Authorized Denominations \_\_\_\_\_ Treasury Rate \_\_\_\_ CD Rate (if Specified Currency \_\_\_\_\_ Federal Funds Rate is not U.S. dollars): N/A Exchange Rate Agent Other: (if Specified Currency Calculation Agent: N/A is not U.S. dollars): N/A Index Maturity: N/A Issue price (as a percentage of Spread: N/A principal amount): 100% Spread Multiplier: N/A Selling Agent's commission (%): 0.625% Maximum Interest Rate: N/A Purchasing Agent's discount Minimum Interest Rate: N/A or commission (%): N/A Initial Interest Rate: N/A Net proceeds to the Company (%): 99.375% Interest Payment Period: N/A Settlement date (original Interest Rate Reset Period: N/A issue date): June 1, 1995 Interest Reset Date(s): N/A Redemption Commencement Interest Determination Date(s): N/A Date (if any): N/A Calculation Date(s): N/A Repayment Commencement Interest Payment Date(s): A/S Date (if any): N/A Regular Record Date(s): A/S Sinking Fund (if any): N/A Depositary (if Global Note): Depository Trust Company

Redemption prices (if any): The Redemption Price shall initially be \_\_\_\_\_% of the principal amount of such Note(s) to be redeemed and shall decline (but not below par) on each anniversary of the Redemption Commencement Date by \_\_\_\_\_% of the principal amount to be redeemed until the Redemption Price is 100% of such principal amount.

Repayment prices (if any): The Repayment Price shall initially be \_\_% of the principal amount of such Note(s) to be repaid and shall decline (but not below par) on each anniversary of the Repayment Commencement Date by \_\_% of the principal amount until the Repayment Price is 100% of such principal amount.

Additional terms: N/A

As of the date of this Pricing Supplement, the aggregate principal amount (or its equivalent in the Specified Currency) of the Securities (as defined in the Prospectus) which have been sold (including the Note(s) to which this Pricing Supplement relates) is \$67,500,000.

"N/A" as used herein means "Not Applicable". "A/S" as used herein means "As stated in the Prospectus Supplement referred to above".