

CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORP  
Form 8-K  
August 15, 2018

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**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): **August 15, 2018**

**Cabot Microelectronics Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-30205**  
(Commission File No.)

**36-4324765**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**870 Commons Drive**  
**Aurora, Illinois**  
(Address of principal  
executive office)

**60504**  
(Zip Code)

**(630) 375-6631**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**

(Former names 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 240.13e-4(c))

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

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.

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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On August 15, 2018, Cabot Microelectronics Corporation, a Delaware corporation ( Cabot Microelectronics ) and KMG Chemicals, Inc., a Texas corporation ( KMG ) issued a joint press release (the Joint Press Release ) announcing the entry into a definitive agreement pursuant to which Cabot Microelectronics will acquire KMG, on the terms and conditions contained therein. A copy of the Joint Press Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

In addition, on August 15, 2018, Cabot Microelectronics made available a slide presentation (the Investor Presentation ) related to the pending acquisition. A copy of the Investor Presentation is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2 and incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

*(d) Exhibits*

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Description of Exhibit</b>
99.1	Joint Press Release, dated August 15, 2018.
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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 15, 2018

**CABOT MICROELECTRONICS CORPORATION**

By:

*/s/ Scott D. Beamer*

Scott D. Beamer

*Vice President and Chief Financial Officer*

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