

ADTRAN INC  
Form 8-K  
March 21, 2018

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): March 20, 2018

ADTRAN, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware  
(State or Other Jurisdiction

000-24612

63-0918200  
(IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number) Identification No.)

901 Explorer Boulevard

Huntsville, Alabama  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

35806-2807  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (256) 963-8000

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in 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.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On March 20, 2018, ADTRAN, Inc. (the “Company”) announced its acquisition of Sumitomo Electric Lightwave Corp.’s North American EPON business and its entry into a technology license and OEM supply agreement with Sumitomo Electric Industries, Ltd. for North America, South America, EMEA, Australia and New Zealand.

A copy of the Company’s press release, dated March 20, 2018, announcing the above referenced acquisition is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibits are furnished as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K.

| Exhibit number | Description                               |
|----------------|---|
| 99.1           | <u>Press Release dated March 20, 2018</u> |

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) 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 on March 21, 2018.

ADTRAN, Inc.  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Roger D Shannon  
Roger D. Shannon  
Senior Vice President of Finance,

Chief Financial Officer, Corporate Secretary and Treasurer

(Principal Accounting Officer)