KAMAN CORP Form 8-K September 04, 2012

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 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): September 4, 2012 (August 31, 2012)

Kaman Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Connecticut

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

0-1093 06-0613548

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1332 Blue Hills Avenue, Bloomfield, Connecticut 06002 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(860) 243-7100

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

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

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oPre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On August 31, 2012, the company's subsidiary, Kaman Industrial Technologies Corporation, completed its previously announced acquisition of the operating assets and certain liabilities of Zeller Corporation, a New York corporation ("Zeller"), and affiliated entities. Zeller Corporation is a value added distributor of electrical and automation components and solutions, including motion control, programmable logic controller (PLC) based automation, machine vision, electrical controls and power distribution products. Please see the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 dated September 4, 2012 regarding the transaction.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release of the Company dated September 4, 2012

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.

KAMAN CORPORATION

By: /s/ William C. Denninger

William C. Denninger Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: September 4, 2012

KAMAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

Index to Exhibits

Exhibit Description

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated September 4, 2012.

Attached