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 30, 2017

CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

001-14962

04-3477276

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

(Commission file number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

30 CORPORATE DRIVE, SUITE 200 BURLINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS 01803-4238

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(781) 270-1200

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(d) On March 30, 2017, the Board of Directors voted to appoint Tina M. Donikowski to its Board of Directors. Ms. Donikowski retired from General Electric Company in 2015 after 38 years with the company, where she served in a number of senior leadership positions, including most recently as Vice President, Global Locomotive Business, GE Transportation.

Ms. Donikowski has been appointed to the audit committee.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release on appointment of Tina M. Donikowski to Board of Directors

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: March 30, 2017 CIRCOR INTERNATIONAL, INC.

/s/ Rajeev Bhalla

By: Rajeev Bhalla

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

CIRCOR International, Inc. Appoints Tina M. Donikowski to Board of Directors

New Director Brings Wealth of Technology, Manufacturing and Operations Experience to Company's Board

Burlington, Mass. - March 30, 2017 - CIRCOR International, Inc. (NYSE: CIR), a leading provider of flow control solutions and other highly engineered products for markets including oil & gas, aerospace, power, process and industrial solutions, today announced the appointment of Tina M. Donikowski to its Board of Directors effective today.

Ms. Donikowski retired from General Electric Company in 2015 after 38 years with the company, where she served in a number of senior leadership positions, including most recently as Vice President, Global Locomotive Business, GE Transportation.

"Tina brings solid operations and global business experience to the company. Her understanding of what drives technology and manufacturing businesses will benefit CIRCOR as we continue our efforts to grow organically and through acquisition, while also streamlining operations. We are pleased to welcome Tina to the Board and look forward to her contributions," stated David Dietz, Chairman of the Board of Directors of CIRCOR.

Ms. Donikowski holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Industrial Engineering, as well as an Honorary Doctorate, from Gannon University. She currently also serves on the Board of Trustees, Gannon University, and the Board of Trustees, Boys & Girls Club of Erie, Pennsylvania.

About CIRCOR International, Inc.

CIRCOR International, Inc. designs, manufactures and markets flow control solutions and other highly engineered products and sub-systems for markets including oil & gas, aerospace, power, process and industrial solutions. CIRCOR has a diversified product portfolio with recognized, market-leading brands that fulfill its customers' unique application needs. The Company's strategy is to grow organically and through complementary acquisitions; simplify CIRCOR's operations; achieve world class operational excellence; and attract and retain top industry talent. For more information, visit the Company's investor relations website at http://investors.circor.com.

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