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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 ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): June 29, 2016

Kennametal Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Pennsylvania (State or Other Jurisdiction 1-5318 (Commission 25-0900168 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

File Number)

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World Headquarters

600 Grant Street

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Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15219
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (412) 248-8200

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

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

Effective July 31, 2016, John H. Jacko, Jr. will no longer serve as Vice President, Business Development (previously Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer) of Kennametal Inc. (the Company). Mr. Jacko will remain an employee of the Company for transition purposes until November 1, 2016. In addition to the compensation that Mr. Jacko will receive pursuant to his Employment Agreement upon cessation his employment from the Company, he will receive nine months of continuing medical coverage as well as a lump sum payment of \$333,859 (payable six months from November 1, 2016) to make up for an Executive Retirement Plan shortfall.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: July 5, 2016 Kennametal Inc.

By: /s/ Kevin G. Nowe Kevin G. Nowe Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel