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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 Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):

September 4,

2012

STAAR Surgical Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-11634 95-3797439

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer)

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification

No.)

1911 Walker Ave, Monrovia, California 91016 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 626-303-7902

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On September 4, 2012, the Company published a press release regarding its appointment of James Francese as Vice President of Global Marketing, Robin Hughes as Vice President of Research and Development, Regulatory and Quality, and Craig Felberg as Vice President of Business Development. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by this reference.

The information furnished herewith pursuant to Item 7.01 of this Current Report, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. The information in Item 7.01 of this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, whether made before or after the date of this Current Report, regardless of any general incorporation language in the

filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

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.

STAAR Surgical Company

September 5, 2012 By:/s/ Barry G. Caldwell

Barry G. Caldwell

President and Chief Executive Officer

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