Celanese Corp Form 8-K August 02, 2012

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): July 27, 2012

CELANESE CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-32410 (Commission File Number) 98-0420726 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

222 West Las Colinas Blvd. Suite 900N, Irving, TX 75039 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (972) 443-4000

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report):

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

(e) Annual Base Salary Increases

On July 27, 2012, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Celanese Corporation increased the annual base salary of the following named executive officers, to be effective August 13, 2012:

Name	Title	New Base Salary
Steven M. Sterin	Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	\$575,000
Douglas M. Madden	Chief Operating Officer	\$715,000
Gjon N. Nivica, Jr.	Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary	\$488,000
Jay C. Townsend	Senior Vice President, Business Strategy Development and Procurement	\$504,000

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.

CELANESE CORPORATION

By:	/s/ James R. Peacock III
Name:	James R. Peacock III
Title:	Vice President, Deputy General Counsel and
	Assistant Corporate Secretary

Date: August 2, 2012