MSA Safety Inc Form 8-K April 29, 2016

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): April 28, 2016

MSA SAFETY INCORPORATED (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania1-1557946-4914539(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)(Commission File Number)(IRS Employer
Identification Number)

1000 Cranberry Woods Drive
Cranberry Township, Pennsylvania
(Address of principal executive offices)16066-5207Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 724-776-8600

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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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On April 28, 2016, the Company issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2016. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

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Exhibits

99.1 MSA Safety Incorporated Press Release dated April 28, 2016, announcing financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2016.

SIGNATURE

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.

MSA SAFETY INCORPORATED (Registrant)

By /s/ Kenneth D. Krause Kenneth D. Krause Vice President of Finance and Chief Financial Officer Date: April 29, 2016

EXHIBIT INDEX

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