AVNET INC Form 8-K August 19, 2016

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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): August 18, 2016

AVNET, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York 1-4224 11-1890605

(IRS

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission Employer

Identification

Of incorporation) File Number) No.)

2211 South 47th Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85034 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(480) 643-2000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code.)

N/A

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

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

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On August 18, 2016, Avnet, Inc., a New York corporation ("Avnet"), and Avnet Receivables Corporation, a Delaware corporation and wholly owned subsidiary of Avnet, entered into Amendment No. 9 (the "Amendment") to the Second Amended and Restated Receivables Purchase Agreement, with each of the entities party thereto identified as a financial institution, each of the entities party thereto identified as a company and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as agent. Among other revisions, the Amendment (i) decreases the amount of eligible receivables in which Avnet may sell an undivided interest, on a revolving basis, under the accounts receivable securitization program from \$900 million to \$800 million and (ii) extends the expiration date of the accounts receivable program to August 19, 2018.

Some or all of the parties to the accounts receivable securitization program, or their affiliates, have in the past provided investment or commercial banking services to Avnet and its affiliates for which they received customary fees and expenses, and they may provide similar services in the future.

The summary of the Amendment described above is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Amendment, which is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 2.03Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

The disclosure required hereunder is provided under Item 1.01 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d)Exhibits

The following materials are attached as exhibited to this Current Report on Form 8-K:

Exhibit No. Description

10.1 Amendment No. 9 to the Second Amended and Restated Receivables Purchase Agreement

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.

Date: August 18, 2016 AVNET, INC.

By: /s/ Kevin Moriarty Name: Kevin Moriarty

Title: Senior Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer