
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: June 14, 2011 (June 10, 2011)
(Date of earliest event reported)

IDEX CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State of
Incorporation)

1-10235
(Commission File Number)

36-3555336
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

1925 W. Field Court
Lake Forest, Illinois 60045
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(847) 498-7070
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 7.01 — Regulation FD Disclosure.

On June 10, 2011, IDEX Corporation announced that it had completed its previously announced acquisition of CVI Melles Griot (“CVI”) for a purchase price of approximately \$400 million, subject to closing adjustments. CVI is a global leader in the design and manufacture of precision photonic solutions used in the Life Sciences, Research, Semiconductor, Security and Defense markets.

A copy of the press release announcing the closing of the acquisition is attached as exhibit 99.1 hereto.

Item 9.01 — Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated June 10, 2011, issued by IDEX Corporation

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.

IDEX CORPORATION

By: /s/ Heath A. Mitts

Heath A. Mitts

Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

June 14, 2011

Exhibit Index

**Exhibit
Number**
99.1

Description
Press release dated June 10, 2011, issued by IDEX Corporation

IDEX Announces Close of CVI Acquisition

LAKE FOREST, Ill., Jun 10, 2011 (BUSINESS WIRE) — **IDEX Corporation (NYSE: IEX)** announced today that it closed the acquisition of CVI Melles Griot. The Company previously announced that it had entered into a definitive purchase agreement by press release on May, 11 2011.

About IDEX

IDEX Corporation is an applied solutions company specializing in fluid and metering technologies, health and science technologies, dispensing equipment, and fire, safety and other diversified products built to its customers' exacting specifications. Its products are sold in niche markets to a wide range of industries throughout the world. IDEX shares are traded on the New York Stock Exchange and Chicago Stock Exchange under the symbol "IEX".

For further information on IDEX Corporation and its business units, visit the company's Web site at www.idexcorp.com.