

MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO INC  
Form 8-K  
July 31, 2012

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**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 30, 2012**

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**MSC Industrial Direct Co., Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

New York 1-14130 11-3289165  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

75  
Maxess  
Road, 11747  
Melville,  
New  
York

(Address  
of  
principal executive  
offices) (Zip  
Code)

Registrant's  
telephone  
number,  
including area  
code: **(516)**  
**812-2000**

**Not  
Applicable**  
(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:

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

**ITEM 8.01**

**OTHER EVENTS**

On July 30, 2012, MSC Industrial Direct Co., Inc. issued a press release announcing that it intends to build its fifth U.S.-based Customer Fulfillment Center (CFC), or distribution center, in Columbus, Ohio. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

**ITEM 9.01**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

(d)Exhibits:

99.1 Press Release, dated July 30, 2012, issued by MSC Industrial Direct Co., Inc.

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**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.

MSC INDUSTRIAL DIRECT CO., INC.

Date: July 31, 2012 By: /s/ Jeffrey Kaczka

Name: Jeffrey Kaczka

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief

Financial Officer

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**Exhibit No. Description**

99.1 Press Release, dated July 30, 2012, issued by MSC Industrial Direct Co., Inc.