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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):

October 1, 2012

MEASUREMENT SPECIALTIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey 1-11906 22-2378738 (State or other (Commission (IRS Employer jurisdiction of File Number) Identification No.) incorporation)

1000 Lucas Way, Hampton, VA 23666

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

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(757) 766-1500
Registrant's telephone number, including area code
Not applicable
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)
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Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On October 1, 2012, Measurement Specialties, Inc. (the "Company"), pursuant to an asset purchase agreement, completed the acquisition of certain assets of Resistance Temperature Detector Company, Inc. ("RTD") and its parent company Cambridge Technologies, Inc., a designer and manufacturer of temperature sensors and probes based in Ham Lake, MN, for \$17.3 million in cash, subject to certain adjustments described in the asset purchase agreement. The asset purchase agreement contains customary representations, warranties and indemnification rights and obligations of the parties. The description of the purchase agreement set forth above is qualified in its entirety by the full text of that agreement, a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated by reference.

Item 2.01 Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

The information required by this Item is included in Item 1.01 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is filed as part of this report:

99.1 Press release issued by Measurement Specialties, Inc., dated October 1, 2012.

99.2 Asset Purchase Agreement for the acquisition of certain assets of Resistance Temperature Detector Company, Inc. ("RTD") and its parent company Cambridge Technologies, Inc. by Measurement Specialties, Inc.

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.

Measurement Specialties, Inc.

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(Registrant)

/s/ Mark Thomson Mark Thomson Chief Financial Officer

Date: October 1, 2012