

DANA HOLDING CORP
Form 8-K
May 31, 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): May 27, 2016

Dana Holding Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

1-1063
(Commission

File Number)

3939 Technology Drive, Maumee, Ohio 43537

26-1531856
(IRS Employer

Identification Number)

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(419) 887-3000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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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 May 27, 2016, Dana Financing Luxembourg S.à r.l. (the Issuer), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Dana Holding Corporation (Dana), entered into a Purchase Agreement (the Purchase Agreement) with Dana and Citigroup Global Markets Inc., as representative of the several initial purchasers named therein (the Initial Purchasers), relating to the issuance and sale by the Issuer of \$375,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of its 6.500% Senior Notes due 2026 (the Notes) in a private offering exempt from the registration requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act). The Purchase Agreement contains customary representations, covenants and indemnification provisions.

On May 27, 2016, the Issuer closed its offering of the Notes. The Notes were issued pursuant to an Indenture, dated as of May 27, 2016, between the Issuer, Dana, as guarantor, and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as trustee (the Indenture).

The Indenture provides, among other things, that the Notes will be senior unsecured obligations of the Issuer and will be fully and unconditionally guaranteed by Dana. Interest is payable on the Notes on June 15 and December 15 of each year, beginning December 15, 2016. The Notes will mature on June 1, 2026.

The Issuer may redeem the Notes in whole or in part on or after June 1, 2021 at redemption prices of 103.250%, 102.167%, or 101.083% of the principal amount thereof if the redemption occurs during the 12-month period beginning on June 1, 2021, 2022, or 2023, respectively, and a redemption price of 100.000% of the principal amount thereof on or after June 1, 2024, in each case plus accrued and unpaid interest to (but not including) the redemption date. Prior to June 1, 2019, the Issuer may redeem up to 35% of the aggregate principal amount of the Notes (calculated after giving effect to any issuance of additional Notes) with the net cash proceeds of one or more equity offerings, at a price equal to 106.500% of the principal amount thereof, plus accrued and unpaid interest to (but not including) the redemption date, provided that at least 50% of the original aggregate principal amount of the Notes (calculated after giving effect to any issuance of additional Notes) remains outstanding after the redemption. Prior to June 1, 2021, the Issuer also may redeem the Notes in whole or in part at a redemption price equal to 100.000% of the aggregate principal amount thereof, plus accrued and unpaid interest to (but not including) the redemption date plus a make-whole premium.

Subject to certain limitations, in the event of a change of control of Dana, the Issuer will be required to make an offer to purchase the Notes at a purchase price equal to 101.000% of the principal amount of the Notes, plus accrued and unpaid interest to (but not including) the date of purchase.

The Notes will rank equally with all of Dana 's other unsecured senior indebtedness. The Notes will be effectively subordinated to any of Dana 's secured indebtedness, to the extent of the assets securing such indebtedness, and structurally subordinated to all of the debt and other liabilities of Dana 's subsidiaries other than the Issuer.

The Indenture contains restrictive covenants that, among other things, limit the ability of Dana and its restricted subsidiaries, including the Issuer, to: (i) incur additional debt, (ii) pay dividends and make other restricted payments, (iii) create or permit certain liens, (iv) use the proceeds from sales of assets and subsidiary stock, (v) create or permit restrictions on the ability of Dana's restricted subsidiaries to pay dividends or make other distributions to Dana, (vi) enter into transactions with affiliates, and (vii) consolidate or merge or sell all or substantially all of Dana's assets. The Indenture also contains a covenant limiting the ability of the Issuer to conduct any business operations other than those in connection with the issuance of the Notes and other debt permitted under the Indenture. The foregoing limitations are subject to exceptions as set forth in the Indenture. In addition, if in the future (i) the Notes have been assigned an investment grade rating from either Moody's Investors Service, Inc. (Moody's) or Standard & Poor's (S&P) and a rating from the other rating agency of at least Ba1 in the case of Moody's or BB+ in the case of S&P, and (ii) no default has occurred and is continuing, certain of these covenants will, thereafter, no longer apply to the Notes for so long as the Notes maintain these specified ratings. The Indenture also provides for customary events of default.

A copy of the Indenture is filed as Exhibit 4.1 hereto and is incorporated herein by reference. The above description of the material terms of the Indenture is not complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Indenture.

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

Please see the discussion set forth under Item 1.01, Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement, of this Form 8-K, which discussion is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On May 31, 2016, Dana issued a news release announcing the closing of the offering of the Notes, a copy of which is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibits are filed with this report.

Exhibit No.	Description
4.1	Indenture, dated May 27, 2016, among Dana Luxembourg Financing S.à r.l., Dana Holding Corporation and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as trustee.
99.1	Dana Holding Corporation News Release dated May 31, 2016.

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.

DANA HOLDING CORPORATION

Date: May 31, 2016

By: /s/ Marc S. Levin

Name: Marc S. Levin

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and
Secretary

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