

ELBIT SYSTEMS LTD  
Form 6-K  
March 27, 2012

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer  
Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16  
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
For the Month of March 2012

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Commission File Number 000-28998

ELBIT SYSTEMS LTD.  
(Translation of Registrant's Name into English)

Advanced Technology Center, P.O.B. 539, Haifa 31053, Israel  
(Address of Principal Corporate Offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

Form 20-F

Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1):

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934:

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Yes

No

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Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and incorporated by reference herein is the Registrant's Press Release dated March 27, 2012.

Attached hereto herein as Exhibit 2 and incorporated by reference herein are the provisions of the English language section of a shelf offering report made public in Israel by the Registrant on March 27, 2012, in connection with the Registrant's offering in Israel of New Series A Notes. The attached updates information regarding the Registrant previously disclosed in its public filings with the SEC and discusses new information not previously disclosed in its public filings with the SEC.

Attached hereto as Exhibit 3 and incorporated by reference herein is the Rating Agency's consent.

The offering of the New Series A Notes pursuant to the shelf offering report was made only in Israel. The New Series A Notes have not and will not be registered under the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), and may not be offered or sold in the United States or to U.S. Persons (as defined in Regulation "S" promulgated under the Securities Act) without registration under the Securities Act or an exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act.

This Form 6-K shall not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy any securities.

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, thereunto duly authorized.

ELBIT SYSTEMS LTD.  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Ronit Zmiri  
Name: Ronit Zmiri  
Title: Corporate Secretary

Dated: March 27, 2012

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

Exhibit 1 - Registrant's Press Release Dated March 27, 2012

Exhibit 2 - Provisions of the English language section of the shelf offering report made public in Israel by the Registrant on March 27, 2012

Exhibit 3 - Consent of Rating Agency Dated March 26, 2012

