

GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD

Form 8-K

May 07, 2018

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 7, 2018 (May 1, 2018)

GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD.  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware                                      1-13888                                      27-2496053  
(State or Other                                      (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No)  
Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

982 Keynote Circle  
Brooklyn Heights, OH 44131  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)  
(216) 676-2000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR 230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR 240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.



Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 7, 2018, GrafTech International Ltd. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2018. A copy of this press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1. This press release shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and shall not be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in any such filing.

Item 5.05 Amendments to the Registrant’s Code of Ethics, or Waiver of a Provision of the Code of Ethics.

On May 1, 2018, the Company’s Board of Directors adopted a new Code of Conduct and Ethics (the “Code”), which applies to all of the directors, officers, employees and representatives of the Company and its subsidiaries. The description of the Code contained in this report is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Code filed as Exhibit 14.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. The Code is available under the Corporate Governance section of the Investor Relations page of the Company’s website at [www.GrafTech.com](http://www.GrafTech.com). The information on the Company’s website does not constitute part of this Current Report on Form 8-K and is not incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

14.1 [GrafTech International Ltd. Code of Conduct and Ethics, dated May 1, 2018](#)

99.1 [Press release of GrafTech International, Ltd., dated May 7, 2018](#)

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**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.

**GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL LTD.**

Date: May 7, 2018 By: /s/ Quinn J. Coburn

Quinn J. Coburn

Chief Financial Officer, Vice President and Treasurer