
**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 29, 2015

STERIS Corporation
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Ohio
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

1-14643
(Commission
File Number)

34-1482024
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

5960 Heisley Road, Mentor, Ohio
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

44060-1834
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (440) 354-2600

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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 8.01. Other Events

On May 29, 2015, STERIS Corporation (“STERIS”) and Synergy Health plc (“Synergy Health”) issued a press release announcing that they have been informed by the U.S. Federal Trade Commission (“FTC”) that the FTC intends to seek to block their proposed combination. In the press release, STERIS and Synergy Health reaffirmed their belief that the combination is procompetitive and in the best interests of all constituents of the two companies, including Customers and announced their intention to contest the FTC’s attempted action.

A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

| <u>Exhibit Number</u> | <u>Description</u> |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 99.1 | Press Release, dated May 29, 2015. |

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.

STERIS CORPORATION

By /s/ J. Adam Zangerle

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Vice President, General Counsel, and Secretary

Date: May 29, 2015

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