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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):

June 8, 2015

AMETEK, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

1-12981

14-1682544

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

1100 Cassatt Road, Berwyn, Pennsylvania

19312

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

610-647-2121

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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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 June 8, 2015, AMETEK, Inc. issued a press release to announce it has entered into a definitive agreement to acquire the Surface Inspection Systems Division (SISD) of Cognex Corporation (NASDAQ: CGNX). The closing of the transaction is subject to customary closing conditions, including the receipt of applicable regulatory approvals. A copy of such press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1. The information contained in said press release is hereby incorporated by reference in this Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Copy of press release issued by AMETEK, Inc. on June 8, 2015.

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**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.

AMETEK, Inc.

*June 8, 2015*

*By: /s/ William J. Burke*

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*Name: William J. Burke*

*Title: Senior Vice President - Comptroller & Treasurer*

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<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
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**AMETEK TO ACQUIRE SURFACE INSPECTION SYSTEMS DIVISION  
OF COGNEX CORPORATION**

**—Business is a Leader in Continuous Vision Inspection Systems—**

Berwyn, PA, June 8, 2015 — AMETEK, Inc. (NYSE: AME) today announced that it has entered into a definitive agreement to acquire the Surface Inspection Systems Division (SISD) of Cognex Corporation (NASDAQ: CGNX) for approximately \$160 million. The business has annual revenues of \$60 million. The closing of the transaction is subject to customary closing conditions, including the receipt of applicable regulatory approvals.

SISD develops and manufactures software-enabled vision systems used to inspect surfaces of continuously processed materials for flaws and defects. Their in-line image processing technology detects, classifies, filters, and accurately maps specific defects over the entire area of the surface. End markets served include metals, paper, nonwovens, plastics and glass. SISD is headquartered in Hayward, CA.

“We are excited about the opportunity to acquire such an outstanding business,” said Frank S. Hermance, AMETEK Chairman and Chief Executive Officer. “The Surface Inspection Systems Division of Cognex is a global leader in non-destructive process inspection and expands our presence in this attractive market segment. Among SISD’s strengths are its proprietary high-speed defect recognition technology, software algorithms and deep applications knowledge base,” commented Frank S. Hermance.

The SISD business joins AMETEK as part of its Electronic Instruments Group (EIG), which had 2014 sales of \$2.4 billion and is a leader in the design and manufacture of advanced instruments for the process, aerospace, power and industrial markets.

**Corporate Profile**

AMETEK is a leading global manufacturer of electronic instruments and electro-mechanical devices with annual sales of \$4.0 billion. AMETEK’s Corporate Growth Plan is based on Four Key Strategies: Operational Excellence, Strategic Acquisitions, Global & Market Expansion and New Products. AMETEK’s objective is double-digit percentage growth in earnings per share over the business cycle and a superior return on total capital. The common stock of AMETEK is a component of the S&P 500 Index.

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**Forward-looking Information**

Statements in this news release relating to future events, such as AMETEK’s expected business and financial performance are “forward-looking statements.” Forward-looking statements are subject to various factors and uncertainties that may cause actual results to differ significantly from expectations. These factors and uncertainties include our ability to consummate and successfully integrate future acquisitions; risks associated with international sales and operations; our ability to successfully develop new products, open new facilities or transfer product lines; the price and availability of raw materials; compliance with government regulations, including environmental regulations; changes in the competitive environment or the effects of competition in our markets; the ability to maintain adequate liquidity and financing sources; and general economic conditions affecting the industries we serve. A detailed discussion of these and other factors that may affect our future results is contained in AMETEK’s filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, including its most recent reports on Form 10-K, 10-Q and 8-K. AMETEK disclaims any intention or obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements.

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