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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 14D-9

Solicitation/Recommendation Statement

Under Section 14(d)(4) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

ACTUATE CORPORATION

(Name of Subject Company)

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(Name of Person Filing Statement)

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

00508B102

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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The information set forth under Item 5.02 of the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Actuate Corporation on December 9, 2014 (including all exhibits attached thereto) are incorporated herein by reference.