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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

April 13, 2016

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

EMCORE CORPORATION

Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter

New Jersey 0-22175 22-2746503

State of Incorporation Commission File Number IRS Employer Identification Number

2015 W. Chestnut Street, Alhambra, CA 91803

Address of principal executive offices, including zip code

(626) 293-3400

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On April 13, 2016, EMCORE Corporation (the "Company") announced the receipt of a favorable ruling from the International Court of Arbitration tribunal relating to its ongoing dispute with Sumitomo Electric Industries Ltd. The Company's press release making this announcement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information in this Item 7.01, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ("Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities under that section and shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language contained in such filing, unless otherwise expressly stated in such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits. (d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number Exhibit Description

Press Release, dated April 13, 2016, issued by EMCORE Corporation.

SIGNATURE

Dated: April 13, 2016

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.

EMCORE CORPORATION

By: /s/ Mark B. Weinswig

Name: Mark B. Weinswig

Title: Chief Financial Officer