Kraton Corp Form 8-K February 19, 2019

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): February 19, 2019

Commission File Number 001-34581

Kraton Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 20-0411521 (State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

15710 John F. Kennedy Blvd., Suite 300 Houston, TX 77032 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code) 281-504-4700 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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oPre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

o 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

The information set forth under Item 7.01 below is incorporated by reference into this Item 2.02.

Item 7.01. Regulation FD

On February 19, 2019, Kraton Corporation issued a press release announcing initiatives intended to enhance shareholder value and providing an update on its guidance for expected Adjusted EBITDA for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2018. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, which is incorporated by reference herein.

The information contained and furnished in this Item 7.01 shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or incorporated by reference into any filing under the Exchange Act or the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1: Kraton Corporation Press Release, dated February 19, 2019

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.

KRATON CORPORATION

Date: February 19, 2019 /s/ James L. Simmons
James L. Simmons
Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary