

Seagate Technology plc  
Form 8-K  
August 06, 2015

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
The Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **July 31, 2015**

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**SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Ireland**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-31560**  
(Commission File Number)

**98-0648577**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**38/39 Fitzwilliam Square  
Dublin 2, Ireland**

N/A

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(Address of principal executive office)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(353) (1) 234-3136**

**N/A**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

(e) On July 31, 2015, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Seagate Technology plc (the Company ) approved increasing Philip G. Brace 's annual base salary from \$500,000 to \$600,017.60, effective July 31, 2015, in recognition of Mr. Brace 's expanded role with the Company. Mr. Brace was appointed the Company 's President of Cloud Systems and Electronics Solutions ( CSES ) on July 22, 2015. No other changes were made to Mr. Brace 's compensation arrangements in connection with his appointment as President of CSES.

**SIGNATURE**

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.

SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY

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| By:    | /s/ PATRICK J. O MALLEY, III                         |
| Name:  | Patrick J. O Malley, III                             |
| Title: | Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer |

Date: August 6, 2015