ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N V Form 8-K July 26, 2012

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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): July 26, 2012

Orthofix International N.V.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Curaçao (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) **0-19961** (Commission File Number) N/A (IRS Employer Identification No.)

7 Abraham de Veerstraat

Curaçao (Address of principal executive offices) N/A (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: 011-59-99-465-8525

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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Conditions

On July 26, 2012, Orthofix International N.V. (the Company) issued a press release (the press release) announcing, among other things, its results for the second quarter ended June 30, 2012. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and attached hereto.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release of Orthofix International N.V. dated July 26, 2012.

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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.

Orthofix International N.V.

By:

/s/ Brian McCollum Brian McCollum Chief Financial Officer and Senior Vice President of Finance

Date: July 26, 2012

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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