

Seagate Technology plc  
Form 8-K  
July 26, 2018

**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): July 20, 2018**

**SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY PUBLIC**

**LIMITED COMPANY**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)**

**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**  
**(Address of Principal Executive Office)**

**N/A**  
**(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)**

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):

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

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

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

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

On July 20, 2018, Mei-Wei Cheng notified the Board of Directors (the Board ) of Seagate Technology plc (the Company ) that he will retire from the Board, and will not stand for reelection at the 2018 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders (the 2018 AGM ). Mr. Cheng s retirement is not the result of any disagreement with the Company on any matter relating to its operations, policies or practices. Mr. Cheng will continue to serve on the Board and on the Audit Committee and Finance Committee until the expiration of his current term at the 2018 AGM.

**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

By: /s/ Katherine E. Schuelke  
Name: Katherine E. Schuelke  
Title: Senior Vice President, Chief Legal  
Officer and Company Secretary

Date: July 26, 2018