

Chemtura CORP
Form 8-K
September 17, 2014

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): **September 15, 2014**

Chemtura Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-15339	52-2183153
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission file number)	(IRS employer identification number)

1818 Market Street, Suite 3700, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	19103
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199 Benson Road, Middlebury, Connecticut	06749
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

(203) 573-2000

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Item 1.02. Termination of a Material Definitive Agreement.

As previously disclosed, on September 26, 2012, Chemtura Corporation (“Chemtura” or the “Company”) entered into a Business Transfer Agreement (“BTA”) with Solaris Chemtech Industries Limited (“Solaris Chemtech”), an Indian Company, and Avantha Holdings Limited (“Avantha”), an Indian Company and the parent of Solaris Chemtech (Solaris Chemtech and Avantha are collectively referred to as “Solaris”). Under the BTA, Chemtura agreed to purchase from Solaris certain assets used in the manufacture and distribution of bromine and bromine chemicals. Effective September 15, 2014, the BTA was terminated due to the inability to satisfy certain conditions precedent to closing and the changes in bromine market conditions since 2012. Neither party incurred any early termination penalties.

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.

Chemtura Corporation

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Billie S. Flaherty

Name: Billie S. Flaherty

Title: EVP, General Counsel & Secretary

Date: September 17, 2014