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**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): March 2, 2018

DECKERS OUTDOOR CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-36436

95-3015862

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

250 Coromar Drive, Goleta, California

93117

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (805) 967-7611

(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:

- 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 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). 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 March 2, 2018, Deckers Outdoor Corporation (the “Company”) announced that, after nine years of valuable contributions and dedicated service to the Company, Thomas A. George will be stepping down as Chief Financial Officer of the Company to pursue other interests.

In order to facilitate a smooth transition, which is expected to be concluded before the end of the calendar year, Mr. George has agreed to stay on in his current role to assist the Company in continuing to pursue its strategic objectives until the Company has identified and named a successor. The Company has initiated a search process with a leading executive search firm to identify his successor.

Forward Looking Statements

This Current Report on Form 8-K contains “forward-looking statements” within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 that are subject to risks and uncertainties. Actual results may differ substantially from those expressed or implied in such forward-looking statements due to a number of factors. These statements include information regarding the expected timing of the transition to a successor Chief Financial Officer. These forward-looking statements are based on management’s present expectations, estimates and projections, but involve risks and uncertainty. Please see the “Risk Factors” section of the Company’s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2017, as filed with the SEC, for a discussion of the most significant risks that may impact the Company. The Company is under no obligation, and expressly disclaims any obligation, to update or alter its forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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.

Date: March 2, 2018

Deckers Outdoor Corporation

/s/ Thomas Garcia

Thomas Garcia, General Counsel

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