

MESA LABORATORIES INC /CO
Form 8-K
July 02, 2013

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

JULY 1, 2013

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

MESA LABORATORIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: **0-11740**

COLORADO

(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

84-0872291

(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

12100 WEST SIXTH AVENUE,

LAKEWOOD, COLORADO
(Address of principal executive offices)

80228

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(303) 987-8000**

Not Applicable

(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 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

On July 1, 2013, Mesa Laboratories, Inc. (the Company) entered into and closed an asset purchase agreement (the Agreement) with ST Acquisitions, LLC dated as of July 1, 2013 pursuant to which it acquired essentially all of the assets of ST Acquisitions, LLC s business involving the design, manufacturing, sale and service of its Sure Torque line of bottle cap torque testing instrumentation. The purchase price for the acquired assets was \$1,821,000, consisting of a cash payment of \$1,721,000 at closing and a \$100,000 holdback amount that is expected to be settled on July 1, 2014, pursuant to the terms of the Agreement.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits:

99.1 Press release dated July 2, 2013.

99.2 Asset Purchase Agreement by and between Mesa Laboratories, Inc. and ST Acquisitions, LLC dated as of July 1, 2013.

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: July 2, 2013

Mesa Laboratories, Inc.
(Registrant)

BY:

/s/ John J. Sullivan
John J. Sullivan,
President and Chief Executive Officer