

POLYONE CORP  
Form 8-K  
November 21, 2011

**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): November 16, 2011**

**PolyOne Corporation**

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

**Ohio**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**  
  
**of Incorporation)**

**1-16091**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**34-1730488**  
**(IRS Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

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**PolyOne Center**

**33587 Walker Road**

**Avon Lake, Ohio 44012**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (440) 930-1000**

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

**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Agreements of Certain Officers.**

On November 16, 2011, Bernard Baert, Senior Vice President, President of Europe and South America of PolyOne Corporation, notified us that he intends to retire from PolyOne Corporation on April 1, 2012.

**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.

**POLYONE CORPORATION**

By: /s/ Lisa K. Kunkle  
Lisa K. Kunkle  
Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

Date: November 21, 2011