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

(d) Effective December 6, 2017, the Board of Directors of Belden Inc. (the “Company”) appointed Diane Brink to the Board and to its Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee. Ms. Brink currently serves as senior fellow and adjunct professor at Kellogg School of Management Markets and Customer Initiative, Northwestern University, and as a management consultant. Prior to that, Ms. Brink served as the Chief Marketing Officer for IBM Global Technology Services. The press release announcing Ms. Brink’s appointment is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press release, dated December 6, 2017.

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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.

BELDEN INC.

Date: December 7, 2017 By: /s/ Brian E. Anderson
Brian E. Anderson
Senior Vice President-Legal, General
Counsel and Corporate Secretary