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): October 17, 2016

WESCO International, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-14989 (Commission File Number)

225 West Station Square Drive Suite 700 Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (Address of principal executive offices) 25-1723342 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

> **15219** (Zip Code)

(412) 454-2200

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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))

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

On October 17, 2016, WESCO International, Inc. (the "Company") announced that David S. Schulz is joining the Company as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer on October 17, 2016. Mr. Schulz, age 51, served as Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of Armstrong Flooring, Inc. from April 2016 to October 2016, as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Armstrong World Industries, Inc. from November 2013 to March 2016, and as Vice President, Finance of the Armstrong Building Products division from June 2011 to November 2013. Mr. Schulz will receive an annual base salary of \$525,000, with a target bonus of 75% up to a total bonus opportunity of 150% of his base salary. For 2016, Mr. Schulz will receive a bonus at the target amount, pro-rated for the period of employment with the Company. Mr. Schulz will receive an initial restricted stock unit grant of \$1,000,000, which will cliff vest after three years from the grant date, and he is eligible to receive a matching stock appreciation rights award equal to the number of shares purchased within the first twelve months of employment of up to two times his annual base salary which will vest proportionately over three years. He will be entitled to receive severance payments equal to one-year's base salary and an amount based on a prorated bonus calculation, if he is terminated by the Company without cause or if he terminates his employment for good reason. He will be bound by restrictive covenants in the form of noncompetition and non-solicitation of employees during the term of his employment and for a period of one year thereafter. Mr. Schulz will be entitled to indemnification per the terms of an indemnification agreement as set forth in Exhibit 10.24 to the Company's Form 10-K filed on February 22, 2016.

Mr. Timothy A. Hibbard, who had been serving as Vice President, Controller and as interim Chief Financial Officer since May 2016 will continue as Vice President and Controller.

There are no and have been no transactions since the beginning of the Company's last fiscal year, or currently proposed, regarding Mr. Schulz that are required to be disclosed by Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

On October 17, 2016, the Company issued a press release announcing that Mr. Schulz is joining the Company as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer. A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibit

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release, dated October 17, 2016

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.

WESCO International, Inc.

(Registrant)

October 17, 2016

(Date)

By: /s/ John J. Engel

John J. Engel Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer



NEWS RELEASE

WESCO International, Inc. / Suite 700, 225 West Station Square Drive / Pittsburgh, PA 15219

WESCO International, Inc. Names New Chief Financial Officer

PITTSBURGH, October 17, 2016 /PRNewswire/ — WESCO International, Inc. (NYSE: WCC), a leading provider of electrical, industrial, and communications MRO and OEM products, construction materials and advanced supply chain management and logistics services, today announced the appointment of Mr. David S. (Dave) Schulz as its Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, effective October 17, 2016.

Mr. Schulz, 51, brings 20 years of public company experience in finance and operations management to WESCO. After 15 years in financial leadership roles with Procter & Gamble and the J. M. Smucker Company, he joined Armstrong World Industries in 2011 as Vice President - Finance of the Armstrong Building Products division. He was named Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer in 2013. Most recently, Mr. Schulz was the Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of Armstrong Flooring, Inc., overseeing Asia Pacific sales and operations, investor relations, and strategic matters, including mergers and acquisitions.

Mr. Schulz began his career as an officer in the United States Marine Corps. He holds a bachelor's degree in Finance from Villanova University and a master's degree in Management from the U.S. Naval Postgraduate School.

Mr. John J. Engel, WESCO's Chairman and CEO stated: "Dave is a seasoned public company CFO with strong financial and operational experience in multiple industries. He is an excellent addition to our executive management team and will help us accelerate our One WESCO strategy, execute our growth initiatives and deliver our financial targets."

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WESCO International, Inc. (NYSE: WCC), a publicly traded Fortune 500 holding company headquartered in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, is a leading provider of electrical, industrial, and communications maintenance, repair and operating (MRO) and original equipment manufacturers (OEM) products, construction materials, and advanced supply chain management and logistic services. 2015 annual sales were approximately \$7.5 billion. The company employs approximately 9,300 people, maintains relationships with over 25,000 suppliers, and serves over 80,000 active customers worldwide. Customers include commercial and industrial businesses, contractors, government agencies, institutions, telecommunications providers, and utilities. WESCO operates nine fully automated distribution centers and approximately 500 full-service branches in North America and international markets, providing a local presence for customers and a global network to serve multi-location businesses and multi-national corporations.

The matters discussed herein may contain forward-looking statements that are subject to certain risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from expectations. Certain of these risks are set forth in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015, as well as the Company's other reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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