

# CELANESE CORP

## **FORM 8-K** (Current report filing)

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Address	222 W. LAS COLINAS BLVD., SUITE 900N IRVING, TX, 75039-5421
Telephone	972-443-4000
CIK	0001306830
Symbol	CE
SIC Code	2820 - Plastic Material, Synthetic Resin/Rubber, Cellulos (No Glass)
Industry	Commodity Chemicals
Sector	Basic Materials
Fiscal Year	12/31

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): **July 27, 2012**

**CELANESE CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**DELAWARE**

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-32410**

(Commission File  
Number)

**98-0420726**

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**222 West Las Colinas Blvd. Suite 900N, Irving, TX 75039**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(972) 443-4000**

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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))

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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.**

*(e) Annual Base Salary Increases*

On July 27, 2012, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Celanese Corporation increased the annual base salary of the following named executive officers, to be effective August 13, 2012:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>New Base Salary</u>
Steven M. Sterin	Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	\$575,000
Douglas M. Madden	Chief Operating Officer	\$715,000
Gjon N. Nivica, Jr.	Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary	\$488,000
Jay C. Townsend	Senior Vice President, Business Strategy Development and Procurement	\$504,000

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## **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.

### **CELANESE CORPORATION**

By: /s/ James R. Peacock III

Name: James R. Peacock III

Title: Vice President, Deputy General Counsel and Assistant  
Corporate Secretary

Date: August 2, 2012