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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): May 8, 2012

Colfax Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Delaware001-3404554-1887631(State or other jurisdiction(Commission (I.R.S. Employer
File Number) Identification No.)

8170 Maple Lawn Boulevard, Suite 180

Fulton, MD 20759

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(301) 323-9000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 8, 2012, Colfax Corporation issued a press release reporting financial results for the first quarter ended March 30, 2012. A copy of Colfax Corporation's press release is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated in this report by reference. Colfax Corporation has scheduled a conference call for 8:00 a.m. EDT on May 8, 2012 to discuss its financial results, and slides for that call are attached to this report as Exhibit 99.2 and are incorporated in this report by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

- $99.1 \frac{\text{Colfax Corporation press release dated May 8, 2012, reporting financial results for the first quarter ended March <math>30, 2012$.
- 99.2 Colfax Corporation slides for May 8, 2012 conference call reporting financial results for the first quarter ended March 30, 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.

Colfax Corporation

Date: May 8, 2012 By: /s/ C. Scott Brannan Name: C. Scott Brannan Senior Vice President, Title: Finance and Chief Financial Officer

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