

GENUINE PARTS CO  
Form 8-K  
November 01, 2013

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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):

November 1, 2013

Genuine Parts Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Georgia

001-05690

58-0254510

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

2999 Circle 75 Pkwy, Atlanta, Georgia

30339

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

770.953.1700

Not Applicable

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:

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

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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On November 1, 2013 Genuine Parts Company (NYSE: GPC) announced two acquisitions in its Industrial and Electrical Groups.

Effective October 31, 2013, the Company's Electrical Group, EIS, Inc. ("EIS"), closed on the acquisition of the assets of Tekra Corporation ("Tekra"). Tekra, headquartered in New Berlin, Wisconsin, is a leading independent coater, converter and distributor of specialty films and adhesives, which complements the fabrication capabilities at EIS. The Company expects the acquired business to generate annual revenues of approximately \$75 million.

The Company's Industrial Group, Motion Industries ("Motion"), acquired the stock of AST Bearings LLC ("AST"), effective October 26, 2013. AST is a value-added supplier of high precision bearings and related products, with two locations in Montville, New Jersey and Irvine, California. The Company expects the acquired business to generate annual revenues of approximately \$35 million.

A copy of the press release is furnished with this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated November 1, 2013

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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.

Genuine Parts Company

*November 1, 2013*

By: *Carol B. Yancey*

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*Name: Carol B. Yancey*

*Title: Executive Vice President and CFO*

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Exhibit Index

<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
99.1	Press Release dated November 1, 2013