

KAMAN CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 19, 2011

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 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): December 19, 2011(December 15, 2011)

Kaman Corporation  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Connecticut  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

0-1093  
(Commission File Number)

06-0613548  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1332 Blue Hills Avenue, Bloomfield,  
Connecticut  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

06002  
(Zip Code)

(860) 243-7100  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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



Item 8.01 Other Events.

On December 19, 2011, the company announced that its subsidiary, Kaman Industrial Technologies Corporation, has acquired the business of Catching FluidPower, Inc. Catching is a leading distributor of fluid power products based in Bolingbrook, Illinois. Please see the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 dated December 19, 2011 regarding the transaction.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit Press Release of the Company dated December 19, 2011  
99.1

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.

KAMAN CORPORATION

By: /s/ Candace A. Clark  
Candace A. Clark  
Senior Vice President,  
Chief Legal Officer and Secretary

Date: December 19, 2011

KAMAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

Index to Exhibits

Exhibit	Description	
Exhibit 99.1	Press release dated December 19, 2011.	Attached

