

CHASE CORP
Form 8-K
November 29, 2012

**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 27, 2012**

Commission File Number: **1-9852**

CHASE CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Massachusetts
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation of
organization)

11-1797126
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

26 Summer Street, Bridgewater, Massachusetts 02324

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code)

(508) 819-4200

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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N/A

(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))
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Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On November 27, 2012, Peter R. Chase, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Chase Corporation (the Company) informed the Company that he intends to establish a pre-arranged stock trading plan to sell a portion of his stock in the Company over time as part of his individual long-term strategy for asset diversification and liquidity. Mr. Chase indicated that he intends to adopt the stock trading plan in accordance with guidelines specified under Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Company's policies regarding stock transactions.

Rule 10b5-1 permits insiders to implement written, pre-arranged stock trading plans when they are not in possession of material non-public information. These plans establish predetermined trading parameters that do not permit the person adopting the plan to exercise any subsequent influence over how, when, or whether to effect trades. Using these plans, insiders can gradually diversify their investment portfolios, spread stock trades out over an extended period of time to reduce market impact, and avoid concerns about transactions occurring at a time when they might possess inside information.

Under the plan Mr. Chase proposes to adopt, he would sell up to 61,500 shares of the Company's common stock over a period ending not later than June 29, 2013.

Mr. Chase indicated that the transactions under this plan would commence no earlier than December 31, 2012 and will be disclosed publicly through required filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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, thereunto duly authorized.

Chase Corporation

Dated: November 27, 2012

By:

/s/ Kenneth L. Dumas
Kenneth L. Dumas
Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer