3D SYSTEMS CORP Form 8-K March 17, 2017

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): March 14, 2017

3D SYSTEMS CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware001-3422095-4431352(State or other jurisdiction(Commission(IRS Employerof incorporation)File Number)Identification No.)

333 Three D Systems Circle
Rock Hill, South Carolina29730(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (803) 326-3900

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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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.

(b) On March 14, 2017, Ms. Karen E. Welke, a director of 3D Systems Corporation (the "Company"), informed the Board of Directors of the Company (the "Board") that she will retire from the Board, and will not stand for reelection at the Company's 2017 Annual Stockholders Meeting (the "2017 Annual Meeting"). Ms. Welke's retirement is not the result of any disagreement with the Company on any matter relating to its operations, policies or practices. Ms. Welke will continue to serve on the Board and as a member of the Compensation Committee and the Corporate Governance and Nominating Committee until the expiration of her current term at the 2017 Annual Meeting.

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.

3D SYSTEMS CORPORATION

Date: March 17, 2017

/s/ ANDREW M. JOHNSON

(Signature) Name: Andrew M. Johnson Title: *Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary*