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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 22, 2017

LAM RESEARCH CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware0-1293394-2634797(State or Other Jurisdiction(Commission(IRS Employerof Incorporation)File Number)Identification Number)4650 Cushing ParkwayIdentification Number)Fremont, California 94538Identification Number)(Address of principal executive offices including zip code)(510) 572-0200(State or Other name or former address, if changed since last report)Identification Number)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 rowsions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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(b) Effective May 22, 2017, Richard A. Gottscho (formerly Executive Vice President, Global Products) assumed the position of Executive Vice President, Corporate Chief Technology Officer of Lam Research Corporation.

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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. Date: May 23, 2017 LAM RESEARCH CORPORATION

LAM RESEARCH CORPORATION (Registrant)

By: /s/ George M. Schisler George M. Schisler Vice President, General Legal Affairs