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KULICKE & SOFFA INDUSTRIES INC

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**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**
Washington, D.C. 20549

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CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): June 4, 2013

KULICKE AND SOFFA INDUSTRIES, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

000-00121
(Commission File Number)

23-1498399
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

6 Serangoon North, Avenue 5, #03-16, Singapore
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

554910
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (215) 784-6000

N/A
(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 5.02 **Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers;
Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

On June 4, 2013, Barry Waite notified MacDonell Roehm, Jr., the Chairman of the Board of Directors of Kulicke and Soffa Industries, Inc. (the “Company”), that given the time constraints of his other professional and personal activities he had decided that it was in the best interests of the Company if he resigned from his position as a director of the Company effective at the end of fiscal year 2013. Mr. Waite’s resignation will be effective September 30, 2013.

Mr. Roehm, on behalf of the Board of Directors, acknowledged Mr. Waite’s many important contributions over his 10 years of service on behalf of the Company.

SIGNATURE

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.

June 10, 2013

KULICKE AND SOFFA INDUSTRIES, INC.

By: /s/ Jonathan H. Chou
Name: Jonathan H. Chou
Title: Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer
and Principal Accounting Officer
