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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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FORM 8-K/A
(Amendment No. 1)

Current Report
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 11, 2013

ACCO BRANDS CORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

001-08454
(Commission
File Number)

36-2704017
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

300 Tower Parkway
Lincolnshire, IL 60069
(Address of principal executive offices)

60069
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (847) 541-9500

Not Applicable
(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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EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Amendment No. 1 on Form 8-K/A to the ACCO Brands Corporation (the "Company") Current Report on Form 8-K (the "Original Filing"), which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on January 14, 2013, is being filed to correct an error in the last sentence of the first paragraph of Item 2.02. The reference to "2013 pro forma sales" should be to "2012 pro forma sales". Except for this correction in Item 2.02, this Form 8-K/A does not modify or update other disclosures in, or exhibits to, the Original Filing.

Section 2 Financial Information

Item 2.02. *Results of Operations and Financial Condition.*

On January 14, 2013, the Company issued a press release confirming certain previously issued guidance regarding the Company's financial results for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012. Attached as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the press release, which is incorporated herein by reference. Based on preliminary results, the Company also expects 2012 pro forma sales to be close to the guidance previously issued in connection with its third quarter 2012 earnings release.

The information contained or incorporated by reference in this Current Report on Form 8-K under Item 2.02 is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information contained or incorporated by reference in this Current Report under Item 2.02 shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document filed pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 2.02 contains statements which may constitute "forward-looking" statements as that term is defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements are subject to certain risks and uncertainties, are made as of the date hereof and the Company assumes no obligation to update them. The Company's ability to predict results or the actual effect of future plans or strategies is inherently uncertain. Because actual results may differ from those predicted by such forward-looking statements, you should not place undue reliance on them when deciding to buy, sell or hold the Company's securities. Among the factors that could cause the Company's plans, actions and results to differ materially from current expectations are: fluctuations in the cost and availability of raw materials; competition within the markets in which the Company operates; the effects of both general and extraordinary economic, political and social conditions, including any volatility and disruption in the capital and credit markets; the Company's continued ability to access the capital and credit markets; the liquidity and solvency of its major customers; the effect of consolidation in the office products industry; the dependence of the Company on certain suppliers of manufactured products; the risk that targeted cost savings and synergies from business combinations may not be fully realized or take longer to realize than expected; future goodwill and/or impairment charges; foreign exchange rate fluctuations; the development, introduction and acceptance of new products; the degree to which higher raw material costs and freight and distribution costs can be passed on to customers through selling price increases and the effect on sales volumes as a result thereof; increases in health care, pension and other employee welfare costs; the risk that anticipated cost savings, growth opportunities and other financial and operating benefits as a result of the Company's recent acquisition of the MeadWestvaco's Consumer & Office Products Business may not be realized or may take longer to realize than expected; the risk that benefits from the Company's acquisition of MeadWestvaco's Consumer & Office Products Business may be significantly offset by costs incurred in integrating the companies; potential adverse impacts from incurring additional indebtedness in connection with the Company's acquisition of MeadWestvaco's Consumer & Office Products Business; and potential difficulties in connection with the process of integrating MeadWestvaco's Consumer & Office Products Business with the Company, which potential difficulties include, but are not limited to, coordinating geographically separate organizations, integrating business cultures, which could prove to be incompatible, difficulties and costs of integrating information technology systems, and potential difficulty in retaining key officers and personnel. These and other risks are more fully described under "Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors" in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2011, and "Part II, Item 1A. Risk Factors" in its Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2012, and in other reports the Company files with the SEC.

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.

ACCO BRANDS CORPORATION
(Registrant)

Date: January 14, 2013

By: /s/ Pamela R. Schneider

Name: Pamela R. Schneider

Title: Senior Vice President,
General Counsel, and Secretary