

**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): September 27, 2019 (September 25, 2019)

Univar Solutions Inc.

(Exact name of registrant specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction
Of Incorporation)

001-37443
(Commission
File Number)

26-1251958
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

3075 Highland Parkway, Suite 200
Downers Grove, IL 60515
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(331) 777-6000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not applicable
(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):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock (\$0.01 par value)	UNVR	New York Stock Exchange

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company 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.

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors of Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangement of Certain Officers.

(b) On September 25, 2019, Mr. David H. Wasserman offered to resign from the board of directors (the “Board”) of Univar Solutions Inc. (the “Company”). The Board accepted Mr. Wasserman’s offer of resignation effective as of October 31, 2019. Mr. Wasserman’s resignation was not the result of any dispute or disagreement with the Company or the Board on any matter relating to the operations, policies or practices of the Company. Effective upon Mr. Wasserman’s resignation as a director, the size of the Board will be reduced from thirteen to twelve directors.

A copy of the press release announcing Mr. Wasserman’s resignation is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 [Press Release dated September 27, 2019.](#)

104 Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document).

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.

Dated: September 27, 2019

UNIVAR SOLUTIONS INC.

By: /s/ Jeffrey W. Carr

Name: Jeffrey W. Carr

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

PRESS RELEASE



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Univar Solutions Announces Resignation of Board Member

DOWNERS GROVE, IL, September 27, 2019 – Univar Solutions Inc. (NYSE: UNVR) (“Univar Solutions” or “the Company”), a global chemical and ingredient distributor and provider of value-added services, yesterday announced David H. Wasserman has tendered his resignation from the Company’s Board of Directors. This follows the recently announced sale of shares of common stock by Clayton, Dubilier & Rice LLC (“CD&R”), representing the conclusion of a 9-year investment in the Company. Mr. Wasserman has been with CD&R for 21 years.

Having served as a Board director since November 2010, Mr. Wasserman has provided expert perspective and guidance throughout his tenure, especially as the Company emerged from its initial public offering in 2015.

“I want to thank David for his many contributions as an esteemed director for our Board,” said Stephen D. Newlin, Univar Solutions Executive Chairman. “Our Board and I greatly appreciate his leadership and guidance, and we extend our sincere gratitude for his service.”

The Board will not replace Mr. Wasserman and instead will reduce its size to 12 directors, effective October 31, 2019.

About Univar Solutions

Univar Solutions (NYSE: UNVR) is a leading global chemical and ingredient distributor and provider of value added services to customers across a wide range of industries. With the industry's largest private transportation fleet and North American sales force, a vast supplier network, deep market and regulatory knowledge, world-class formulation and recipe development, unparalleled logistics know-how, and industry-leading digital tools, Univar Solutions is a committed ally to customers and suppliers, helping them anticipate, navigate, and leverage meaningful growth opportunities. Learn more at www.univarsolutions.com.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release includes "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Forward-looking statements are subject to known and unknown risks and uncertainties, many of which may be beyond our control. We caution you that the forward-looking information presented in this press release is not a guarantee of future events, and that actual events may differ materially from those made in or suggested by the forward-looking information contained in this press release. In addition, forward-looking statements generally can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "may," "plan," "seek," "comfortable with," "will," "expect," "intend," "estimate," "anticipate," "believe" or "continue" or the negative thereof or variations thereon or similar terminology. Any forward-looking information presented herein is made only as of the date of this press release, and we do not undertake any obligation to update or revise any forward-looking information to reflect changes in assumptions, the occurrence of unanticipated events, or otherwise.

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