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 1, 2017

HAEMONETICS CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Massachusetts1-1404104-2882273(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)(Commission File Number)(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

400 Wood Road, Braintree MA

02184

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **781-848-7100** (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):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o 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 a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definition of "large accelerated filer", "accelerated filer", "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act

Large accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer

o (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Smaller reporting company

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Emerging growth company

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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. o

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

(b) Departure of Named Executive Officer

Byron Selman, President, Global Markets, is leaving Haemonetics Corporation (the "Company") effective May 5, 2017. Mr. Selman joined the Company in 2012 as President, North America and has served as President, Global Markets since April 2015.

Haemonetics is grateful for Mr. Selman's many and significant contributions during his time at the Company and extends its best wishes to him for success in his future endeavors.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exch behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized	nange Act of 19 d.	34, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its	
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Date: May 5, 2017	Ву	/s/ Christopher Simon Christopher Simon President and Chief Executive Officer	