

CABOT CORP  
Form 8-K  
October 31, 2017

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

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**FORM 8-K**

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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): October 31, 2017**

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**Cabot Corporation**  
**(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)**

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| <b>Delaware</b>   | <b>1-5667</b>                   | <b>04-2271897</b>     |
| <b>(State or Other Jurisdiction</b>                                       |                                 | <b>(IRS Employer</b>  |
| <b>of Incorporation)</b>  | <b>(Commission File Number)</b> | <b>Identification</b> |
|   |                                 | <b>No.)</b>           |
| <b>2 Seaport Lane, Suite 1300, Boston, MA</b>                             |                                 | <b>02210-2019</b>     |
| <b>(Address of Principal Executive Offices)</b>                           |                                 | <b>(Zip Code)</b>     |
| <b>Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (617) 345-0100</b> |                                 |                       |

**Not Applicable**  
**(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)**

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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.

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 Instructions A.2. below):

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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))

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

On October 31, 2017, Cabot Corporation issued a press release announcing operating results for its fiscal quarter ended September 30, 2017. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

99.1      Press release issued by Cabot Corporation on October 31, 2017

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**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.

**CABOT CORPORATION**

By: /s/ James P. Kelly

Name: James P. Kelly

Title: Vice President and Controller

Date: October 31, 2017