## 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) April 19, 2016
FLEXSTEEL INDUSTRIES, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

| Minnesota <br> (State or other jurisdiction <br> of incorporation) | $\underline{0-5151}$ <br> (Commission <br> File Number) | $\underline{42-0442319}$ <br> (IRS Employer <br> Identification No.) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 385 Bell St,,$\underline{\text { Dubuque, Iowa }}$ |  |  |
| (Address of principal executive offices) |  |  |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code 563-556-7730

> (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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$\square$ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
$\square$ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.
On April 19, 2016, Flexsteel Industries, Inc. issued a press release announcing Third Quarter Ended March 31, 2016 Operating Results. A copy of the Press Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.
Exhibit 99.1 - Press Release by Flexsteel Industries, Inc. on April 19, 2016.

## 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.

FLEXSTEEL INDUSTRIES, INC.
(Registrant)

Date:
April 19, 2016
By:


Timothy E. Hall
Senior Vice President-Finance, CFO, and Secretary
Principal Financial and Accounting Officer

## Flexsteel Reports Third Quarter Results

DUBUQUE, Iowa--(BUSINESS WIRE)--April 19, 2016--Flexsteel Industries, Inc. (NASDAQ:FLXS) today reported third quarter and fiscal year-to-date financial results.

Financial Highlights for the Quarter:

- Net sales increased to a record $\$ 125.4$ million, a $2.4 \%$ increase.
- Seventh consecutive quarter of record net sales.
- Adjusted net income of $\$ 5.3$ million, $4.2 \%$ of net sales.

Financial Highlights for the Nine Months:

- Net sales increased to a record $\$ 377.3$ million, a $9.2 \%$ increase.
- Adjusted net income of $\$ 16.4$ million, $4.3 \%$ of net sales.

For additional information regarding adjusted net income and adjusted earnings per share (which are non-GAAP measures), please refer to the reconciliation and other information included in the attached schedules.

The following table compares net sales for the quarters ended March 31, (in millions):


The increase in residential net sales was substantially due to increased sales volume in upholstered and ready-to-assemble products partially offset by discounting of certain case goods. The increase in commercial net sales was substantially due to product mix.

The following table compares net sales for the nine months ended March 31, (in millions):
Residential
Commercial


The increase in residential net sales was substantially due to increased sales volume in upholstered and ready-to-assemble products. The increase in commercial net sales was substantially due to increased volume.

Gross margin as a percent of net sales for the quarter ended March 31, 2016 was $22.9 \%$ compared to $24.2 \%$ for the prior year quarter. The Company's investment in its expanded distribution network, which became operational in April 2015, has increased cost by $\$ 0.6$ million per quarter or $0.5 \%$ of net sales. The remainder of the decreased gross margin is primarily due to discounting of certain case goods products.

For the nine months ended March 31, 2016, gross margin as a percent of net sales was $22.3 \%$ compared to $23.8 \%$ for the prior period, reflecting the distribution network expansion discussed above, increased costs for material handling and delivery and changes in product mix.

Selling, general and administrative (SG\&A) expenses were $15.5 \%$ of net sales in the current year quarter, compared to $15.3 \%$ of net sales in the prior year quarter. During the quarter ended March 31, 2016, the Company recorded $\$ 0.6$ million in net reimbursements of legal costs related to Indiana civil litigation. SG\&A expenses increased as the Company initiated investments with strategic customers to enhance brand presence.

For the nine months ended March 31, 2016, SG\&A expenses were $15.2 \%$ of net sales compared to $16.4 \%$ of net sales in the prior period. The improvement in SG\&A as a percentage of net sales reflects fixed cost leverage on higher sales volume and lower performance-based compensation. During the nine months ended March 31, 2016, the Company recorded $\$ 0.4$ million in net reimbursements of legal costs related to the Indiana civil litigation.

The Company recorded $\$ 2.0$ million or $\$ 0.16$ per share during the third quarter ended March 31, 2016, in insurance settlement reimbursements related to the Indiana civil litigation compared to $\$ 0.3$ million or $\$ 0.02$ per share in the prior year quarter. During the nine months ended March 31 , 2016, litigation settlement reimbursements were $\$ 2.3$ million or $\$ 0.19$ per share compared to $\$ 0.3$ million or $\$ 0.02$ per share in the prior year period. The reimbursements are included in "litigation settlement reimbursements" in the Consolidated Statements of Income.

The above factors resulted in net income of $\$ 6.9$ million or $\$ 0.89$ per share for the quarter ended March 31,2016 , compared to $\$$ 7.0 million or $\$ 0.90$ per share in the prior year quarter. Adjusted net income was $\$ 5.3$ million or $\$ 0.68$ per share for the quarter ended March 31, 2016 compared to $\$ 6.7$ million or $\$ 0.88$ per share in the prior year quarter.

The above factors resulted in net income for the nine months ended March 31, 2016 of $\$ 18.1$ million or $\$ 2.33$ per share compared to $\$ 16.5$ million or $\$ 2.15$ per share in the prior year period. Adjusted net income was $\$ 16.4$ million or $\$ 2.11$ per share for the nine months ended March 31, 2016 compared to $\$ 16.5$ million or $\$ 2.15$ per share in the prior year period.

Working capital (current assets less current liabilities) at March 31, 2016 was $\$ 136$ million compared to $\$ 116$ million at June 30, 2015. Primary changes in working capital include increases in cash of $\$ 14.1$ million and other current assets of $\$ 6.3$ million and decreases in inventory of $\$ 16.5$ million, accounts payable of $\$ 5.1$ million and current borrowings of $\$ 11.9$ million. Other current assets increased primarily due to legal cost reimbursement receivable and changes in tax-related items. For the nine months ended March 31, 2016, capital expenditures were $\$ 7.1$ million and dividend payments totaled $\$ 4.1$ million.

All earnings per share amounts are on a diluted basis.

## Outlook

The Company believes that demand for furniture products in the United States continues to weaken due to political and economic uncertainty. As a result, the Company expects weaker demand in the near term for residential and commercial products. The Company is confident in its ability to take advantage of market opportunities.

Two multi-year initiatives involving logistics and business information systems, designed to enhance customer experience and increase shareholder value are in process. The timing and level of additional investment required for these initiatives will be evaluated as the projects progress. Operating capital expenditures are estimated to be $\$ 1$ million for the remainder of fiscal 2016. The Company believes it has adequate working capital and borrowing capabilities to meet these requirements.

The Company remains committed to its core strategies, which include providing a wide range of quality product offerings and price points to the residential and commercial markets, combined with a conservative approach to business. We will maintain our focus on a strong balance sheet through emphasis on cash flow and increasing profitability. We believe these core strategies are in the best interest of our shareholders.


#### Abstract

About Flexsteel Flexsteel Industries, Inc. and Subsidiaries (the "Company") was incorporated in 1929 and is one of the oldest and largest manufacturers, importers and marketers of residential and commercial upholstered and wooden furniture products in the United States. Product offerings include a wide variety of upholstered and wood furniture such as sofas, loveseats, chairs, reclining and rocker-reclining chairs, swivel rockers, sofa beds, convertible bedding units, occasional tables, desks, dining tables and chairs and bedroom furniture. The Company's products are intended for use in home, office, hotel, healthcare and other commercial applications. A featured component in most of the upholstered furniture is a unique steel drop-in seat spring from which our name "Flexsteel" is derived. The Company distributes its products throughout the United States through the Company's sales force and various independent representatives.

\section*{Forward-Looking Statements}

Statements, including those in this release, which are not historical or current facts, are "forward-looking statements" made pursuant to the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. There are certain important factors that could cause our results to differ materially from those anticipated by some of the statements made herein. Investors are cautioned that all forward-looking statements involve risk and uncertainty. Some of the factors that could affect results are the cyclical nature of the furniture industry, supply chain disruptions, litigation, the effectiveness of new product introductions and distribution channels, the product mix of sales, pricing pressures, the cost of raw materials and fuel, retention and recruitment of key employees, actions by governments including laws, regulations, taxes and tariffs, inflation, the amount of sales generated and the profit margins thereon, competition (both U.S. and foreign), credit exposure with customers, participation in multi-employer pension plans and general economic conditions. For further information regarding these risks and uncertainties, see the "Risk Factors" section in Item 1 A of our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K.


For more information, visit our web site at http://www.flexsteel.com.
March 31,

2016 $\quad$| June 30, |
| :---: |
| 2015 |

## ASSETS

## CURRENT ASSETS:

Cash
Trade receivables, net

Inventories
Other
Total current assets
NONCURRENT ASSETS:
Property, plant, and equipment, net
Other assets
TOTAL

LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY
CURRENT LIABILITIES:

| Accounts payable - trade | \$ | 13,219 | \$ | 18,329 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Notes payable - current |  | - |  | 11,904 |
| Accrued liabilities |  | 21,819 |  | 21,087 |
| Total current liabilities |  | 35,038 |  | 51,320 |
| LONG-TERM LIABILITIES: |  |  |  |  |
| Other long-term liabilities |  | 4,642 |  | 6,552 |
| Total liabilities |  | 39,680 |  | 57,872 |
| SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY |  | 204,260 |  | 186,747 |
| TOTAL | \$ | 243,940 | \$ | 244,619 |

NET SALES
COST OF GOODS SOLD
GROSS MARGIN
SELLING, GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE
LITIGATION SETTLEMENT REIMBURSEMENTS
OPERATING INCOME
OTHER (EXPENSE) INCOME
INTEREST EXPENSE

INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES
INCOME TAX PROVISION
NET INCOME

AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMMON SHARES OUTSTANDING:
Basic
Diluted

EARNINGS PER SHARE OF COMMON STOCK:
Basic
Diluted

| Three Months Ended March 31, |  |  | Nine Months Ended March 31, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2016 |  | 2015 |  | 2016 |  | 2015 |
| \$ 125,400 | \$ | 122,530 | \$ | 377,342 | \$ | 345,581 |
| $(96,684)$ |  | $(92,862)$ |  | $(293,073)$ |  | $(263,300)$ |
| 28,716 |  | 29,668 |  | 84,269 |  | 82,281 |
| $(19,443)$ |  | $(18,709)$ |  | $(57,433)$ |  | $(56,691)$ |
| 2,030 |  | 250 |  | 2,280 |  | 250 |
| 11,303 |  | 11,209 |  | 29,116 |  | 25,840 |


| $(60)$ | 131 | 6 | 837 |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $(9)$ | $(54)$ | $(69)$ | $(89)$ |


| 11,234 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $(4,290)$ |  |  |  |
| $\$$ |  | 11,286 <br> $(4,330)$ | 29,053 <br> $(10,980)$ |


| 7,622 |
| ---: |
| 7,836 |
|  |


| \$ | 0.91 | \$ | 0.94 | \$ | 2.39 | \$ | 2.23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$ | 0.89 | \$ | 0.90 | \$ | 2.33 | \$ | 2.15 |

## FLEXSTEEL INDUSTRIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)
(in thousands)
Nine Months Ended
March 31,

| March 31, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2016 |  | 2015 |  |
| \$ | 18,073 | \$ | 16,518 |
|  | 5,528 |  | 3,362 |
|  | 1,024 |  | 1,595 |
|  | 1,764 |  | 119 |
|  | $(1,193)$ |  | 41 |
|  | 15 |  | (7) |
|  | 15 |  | (113) |
|  | (346) |  | - |
|  | 7,211 |  | $(15,450)$ |
|  | 32,091 |  | 6,065 |

INVESTING ACTIVITIES:
Net purchases of investments
Proceeds from sale of capital assets
Proceeds from life insurance policies
Capital expenditures
Net cash used in investing activities

FINANCING ACTIVITIES:
Dividends paid
Proceeds from issuance of common stock
Shares issued to employees, net of shares withheld
1,403
(164)

Excess tax benefit (expense) from share-based payments
Repayments of current notes payable
Proceeds from long-term notes payable
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities

Increase (decrease) in cash
Cash at beginning of period
Cash at end of period

1,193
$(11,904)$

| - |
| :---: |
| $(13,549)$ |


| 14,092 |
| ---: |
| 1,282 | | $(16,448)$ |
| :---: |
| 22,176 |

## SEC REG G NON-GAAP DISCLOSURE (Unaudited) <br> IMPACT OF INDIANA CIVIL LITIGATION

The Company is providing information regarding adjusted net income and adjusted diluted earnings per share of common stock, which are not recognized terms under U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP") and do not purport to be alternatives to net income or diluted earnings per share of common stock as a measure of operating performance. A reconciliation of adjusted net income and adjusted diluted earnings per share of common stock is provided below. Management believes the use of these non-GAAP financial measures provide investors with useful information on the impact of the Indiana civil litigation. Legal costs, net of reimbursements, are included in "selling, general and administrative expenses" in the Consolidated Statements of Income. Because not all companies use identical calculations, these presentations may not be comparable to other similarly titled measures of other companies.

Reconciliation of GAAP net income to adjusted net income:
 2015:
(in millions, net of income tax)

Net income
Legal costs, net of reimbursements
Settlement costs
Adjusted net income


| Nine Months Ended March 31, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2016 |  | 2015 |  |
| \$ | 18.1 | \$ | 16.5 |
|  | (0.2) |  | 0.2 |
|  | (1.4) |  | (0.2) |
| \$ | 16.5 | \$ | 16.5 |

Reconciliation of GAAP diluted earnings per share of common stock to adjusted diluted earnings per share (EPS) of common stock:
 stock for the three and nine months ended March 31, 2016 and 2015:

Diluted EPS of common stock
Legal costs, net of reimbursement
Settlement costs
Adjusted diluted EPS of common stock


| Nine Months Ended <br> March 31, |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 2016 <br> 2.33 <br> $(0.03)$ <br> $(0.19)$ |  |
| 2.11 |  |

## CONTACT:

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