

GLOBE SPECIALTY METALS INC

Form 8-K

November 12, 2015

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): November 11, 2015

GLOBE SPECIALTY METALS, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

1-34420
(Commission
File Number)
600 Brickell Ave, Suite 1500

20-2055624
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

Miami, FL 33131

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(Address of principal executive offices and Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (786) 509-6900

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))

Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

Amendment to Amended and Restated Business Combination Agreement

On November 11, 2015, Globe Specialty Metals, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Company), Grupo Villar Mir, S.A.U., a Spanish public limited company in the form of a *sociedad anónima* (Grupo VM), Grupo FerroAtlántica, S.A.U., a Spanish public limited liability company in the form of a *sociedad anónima* and a wholly owned subsidiary of Grupo VM (FA), Ferroglobe PLC, a public limited company incorporated under the laws of England (originally incorporated as VeloNewco Limited, a private limited company) and a wholly owned subsidiary of Grupo VM (Holdco), and Gordon Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation and a wholly owned subsidiary of Holdco (Merger Sub), entered into a Letter Agreement (the Amendment) amending the Amended and Restated Business Combination Agreement, dated May 5, 2015, as amended by the First Amendment to the Amended and Restated Business Combination Agreement, dated September 10, 2015 (as so amended, the BCA), by and among the Company, Grupo VM, FA, Holdco and Merger Sub.

The Amendment amends the BCA to extend the initial outside date for consummating the transactions contemplated by the BCA until December 31, 2015. The ability of the Company or FA to further extend the outside date under the BCA to no later than May 21, 2016 in certain circumstances remains unchanged.

The BCA, as amended by the Amendment, remains in full force and effect. The foregoing description of the BCA is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Amended and Restated Business Combination Agreement, which is included as Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed by the Company as of May 5, 2015 and incorporated herein by reference, and the full text of the First Amendment to Amended and Restated Business Combination Agreement, which is included as Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed by the Company as of September 11, 2015 and incorporated herein by reference. The foregoing description of the Amendment is qualified in its entirety by the full text of the Amendment, which is attached hereto as Exhibit 2.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
2.1	Letter Agreement, dated November 11, 2015, by and among the Company, Grupo VM, FA, Holdco and Merger Sub

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.

GLOBE SPECIALTY METALS, INC.

Date: November 12, 2015

By: /s/ Stephen Lebowitz
Name: Stephen Lebowitz
Title: Chief Legal Officer

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