

EMCORE CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 28, 2002

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**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) March 14, 2002

**EMCORE CORPORATION**

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey

0-22175

22-2746503

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(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

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(Commission File  
Number)

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(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

145 Belmont Drive  
Somerset, New Jersey

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08873

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(Address of principal offices)

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(Zip Code)

(732) 271-9090

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code

Not Applicable

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(Former name or former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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**Item 5. Other Events.**

On March 14, 2002, EMCORE Corporation (the Registrant ) filed the Press Release annexed hereto as Exhibit 99.1 which is incorporated herein by reference. The Press Release announced that on March 14, 2002 the Registrant, through its wholly owned subsidiary TPS Acquisition Corporation, has acquired the Applied Solar Division of Tecstar, Inc. and Tecstar Power Systems, Inc. The acquisition agreement is more fully described in the Form S-4 filed by the Registrant on February 19, 2002.

**Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information And Exhibits.**

**Exhibits**

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99.1            Press Release of the Registrant dated March 14, 2002.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

EMCORE CORPORATION

(Registrant) By: /s/ Thomas G. Werthan

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Dated: March 28, 2002 Thomas G. Werthan  
Chief Financial Officer