

Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc.
Form 8-K
February 27, 2013

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): 2/27/2013

Commission File Number

001-34581

Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware **20-0411521**
(State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer
incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

15710 John F. Kennedy Blvd., Suite 300

Houston, TX 77032

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

281-504-4700

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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..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 February 27, 2013, Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc. (NYSE: KRA) issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter and full year ended December 31, 2012. Kraton announced that it will hold a conference call and web cast to discuss these results on Thursday, February 28, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. eastern time. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1: Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc. Press Release dated February 27, 2013

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.

Kraton Performance
Polymers, Inc.

Date: February 27, 2013 By: /s/ Stephen E. Tremblay
Stephen E. Tremblay
Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit Index

Exhibit No. Description

EX-99.1 Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc. Press Release dated February 27, 2013