

Forward Industries, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
April 20, 2018

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**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): **April 20, 2018**

**Forward Industries, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**New York**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**001-34780**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**13-1950672**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**477 S. Rosemary Ave. Ste. 219**  
**West Palm Beach, Florida 33401**

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(Address of Principal Executive Office) (Zip Code)

**(561) 465-0030**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- 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))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

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.

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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

Due to, among other things, the FINRA Investigation (as referenced in Item 8.01 below), James Frost has decided to resign as a director of Forward Industries, Inc. (the “Company”), effective as of April 20, 2018.

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On January 25, 2018, the Company received a letter from the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (“FINRA”) notifying the Company that FINRA is investigating trading in the Company’s securities surrounding the January 18, 2018 announcement that the Company had acquired Intelligent Product Solutions, Inc. (the “FINRA Investigation”). We have not been made aware of any findings by FINRA or if any determination has been made and the Company is cooperating fully with FINRA’s investigation.



**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.

**FORWARD INDUSTRIES, INC.**

Date: April 20, 2018

By: /s/ Michael Matte  
Name: Michael Matte  
Title: Chief Financial Officer