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GENTEX CORP Form 8-K January 26, 2018

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: January 26, 2018

GENTEX CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Michigan 0-10235 38-2030505 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

600 North Centennial Street

Zeeland, Michigan 49464 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (616) 772-1800

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):

- oWritten communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- oPre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- oPre-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 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company o

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. o

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Section 2. Financial Information

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

(a) On January 26, 2018, Gentex Corporation issued a news release announcing financial results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2017. A copy of the news release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to the Form 8-K.

The information in this Form 8-K and the attached Exhibit shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Section 9. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibit

99.1 – News Release Dated January 26, 2018.

SIGNATURE

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.

Date: January 26, 2018 GENTEX CORPORATION (Registrant)

By /s/ Kevin C. Nash Kevin C. Nash Its Vice President - Accounting and Chief Accounting Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 News Release Dated January 26, 2018