

(Registrant's telephone number including area code)

Not Applicable

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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

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.

Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On April 23, 2018, Convergent Media Systems Corporation, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Ballantyne Strong, Inc. (the “Company”), entered into a one-year extension of the maturity date of its \$1.0 million revolving credit facility with blueharbor bank to May 10, 2019.

The Company’s Chairman and Chief Executive Officer is also a member of the board of directors of blueharbor bank. The funds managed by Fundamental Global Investors, LLC and its affiliates together beneficially own less than five percent of the stock of blueharbor bank. The Company’s Chairman and Chief Executive Officer is the Chief Executive Officer, Co-Founder and Partner, and another director of the Company is the President, Co-Founder and Partner, of Fundamental Global Investors, LLC.

The Note Modification Agreement is filed as Exhibit 10.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 2.03. Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation Under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of the Registrant.

The information required by Item 2.03 is included in Item 1.01 above and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

| Exhibit No. | Description |
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| 10.1 | <u>Note Modification Agreement, dated as of April 18, 2018, by and between Convergent Media Systems Corporation, as Borrower, and blueharbor bank, as Lender.</u> |

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

BALLANTYNE STRONG,
INC.

Date: April 24, 2018 By: */s/ Lance V. Schulz*
Lance V. Schulz
Senior Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer

