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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 12b-25

NOTIFICATION OF LATE FILING

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Form 10-K

Form 20-F

Form 11-K

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Form 10-D

Form N-SAR

Form N-CSR

For Period Ended: December 31, 2016

Transition Report on Form 10-K

Transition Report on Form 20-F

Transition Report on Form 11-K

Transition Report on Form 10-Q

Transition Report on Form N-SAR

For the Transition Period Ended:

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Nothing in this form shall be construed to imply that the Commission has verified any information contained herein. If the notification relates to a portion of the filing checked above, identify the Item(s) to which the notification relates:

PART I — REGISTRANT INFORMATION
A.M. Castle & Co.
Full Name of Registrant
Not Applicable
Former Name if Applicable
1420 Kensington Road, Suite 220
Address of Principal Executive Officer (Street and Number)
Oak Brook, IL 60523
City, State and Zip Code
PART II — RULES 12b-25(b) AND (c)
If the subject report could not be filed without unreasonable effort or expense and the registrant seeks relief pursuant to Rule 12b-25(b), the following should be completed. (Check box if appropriate).
The reason described in reasonable detail in Part III of this form could not be eliminated without unreasonable effort or expense; (a)

N-SAR or Form N-CSR, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifteenth calendar day following the prescribed due date; or the subject quarterly report or transition report on Form 10-Q or subject distribution (b) report on Form 10-D, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifth calendar day following the

The subject annual report, semi-annual report, transition report on Form 10-K, Form 20-F, Form 11-K, Form

prescribed due date; and

(c) The accountant's statement or other exhibit required by Rule 12b-25(c) has been attached if applicable.

PART III — NARRATIVE

State below in reasonable detail why the Forms 10-K, 20-F, 11-K, 10-Q, 10-D, N-SAR, N-CSR, or the transition report or portion thereof, could not be filed within the prescribed time period. (Attach extra sheets if needed.)

The Company is unable to file its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2016, within the prescribed time period without unreasonable effort or expense. The Company requires additional time to finalize its financial statements to be filed as part of the 2016 Form 10-K. The additional time is required for, among things, the Company to confirm impact and presentation of the Company's financial restructuring activities and the significant number of extraordinary transactions and operational restructuring activities undertaken during the Company's 2016 fiscal year. The Company currently expects to file the 2016 Form 10-K on or before April 15, 2017, the prescribed due date under the fifteen calendar day extension period provided under Rule 12b-25.

PART IV — OTHER INFORMATION

(1) Name and telephone number of person to contact in regard to this notification

Marec E. Edgar (847) 455-7111

(Name) (Area Code) (Telephone Number)

Have all other periodic reports required under Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or

(2) Section 30 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 during the preceding 12 months or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such report(s) been filed? If the answer is no, identify report(s). Yes No

Is it anticipated that any significant change in results of operations from the corresponding period for the last fiscal (3) year will be reflected by the earnings statements to be included in the subject report or portion

thereof? Yes No

If so, attach an explanation of the anticipated change, both narratively and quantitatively, and, if appropriate, state the reasons why a reasonable estimate of the results cannot be made.

A.M. Castle & Co.

(Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

has caused this notification to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date

March 30 By /s/Marec E. Edgar

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