KIMBERLY CLARK CORP

Form 8-K June 22, 2015

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: June 19, 2015 (Date of earliest event reported)

### KIMBERLY-CLARK CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-225 39-0394230

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission file number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

P. O. Box 619100, Dallas, Texas 75261-9100 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (972) 281-1200

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers;

5.02 Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

On June 19, 2015, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Kimberly-Clark Corporation (the "Corporation") elected Michael D. White as an independent member of the Board, and also appointed him to the Board's Audit Committee, in each case effective September 1, 2015. In connection with the appointment of Mr. White, the size of the Board will be increased from eleven to twelve members. Mr. White is Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of DIRECTV. Mr. White will participate in the outside director compensation programs described under "Director Compensation" in the Corporation's proxy statement filed with the SEC on March 9, 2015.

A copy of the news release announcing the election of Mr. White to the Board is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. 99.1. Press release issued by Kimberly-Clark Corporation on June 22, 2015.

### **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 hereunto duly authorized.

KIMBERLY-CLARK CORPORATION

Date: June 22, 2015

By: /s/ Jeffrey P. Melucci Jeffrey P. Melucci Vice President, Deputy General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

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Exhibit No. 99.1. Press release issued by Kimberly-Clark Corporation on June 22, 2015.