

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

May 30, 2000
(Date of Report, date of earliest event reported)

COMPX INTERNATIONAL INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other
jurisdiction of
incorporation)

1-13905
(Commission
File Number)

57-0981653
(IRS Employer
Identification
No.)

16825 Northchase Drive, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77060
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(281) 423-3377
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or address, if changed since last report)

Item 5: Other Events

On May 30, 2000, the registrant, CompX International Inc., issued the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, which is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 7: Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

(c) Exhibit

Item No.	Exhibit Index
99.1	Press release dated May 30, 2000 issued by CompX International Inc.

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.

COMPX INTERNATIONAL INC.
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Andrew Louis

Andrew Louis,
Secretary

Date: May 30, 2000

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PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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COMPX APPOINTS PRESIDENT OF COMPX AMERICAS BUSINESS UNIT

HOUSTON, TEXAS May 30, 2000.... CompX International Inc. (NYSE: CIX) announced today that it appointed Julian M. Steinberg President of its CompX Americas business unit. Mr. Steinberg will be responsible for the CompX ergo and slide businesses in North America, South America, and Asia, conducted under the Thomas Regout, Waterloo, and Dynaslide trade names. Prior to joining CompX, Mr. Steinberg was Vice President Specialty Plastics for the BFGoodrich Company, where he also held various senior general manager and marketing executive positions throughout his tenure with BFGoodrich.

Joseph S. Compofelice, Chairman and CEO of CompX said "We are extremely pleased to have recruited talent of this caliber. Julian brings with him a proven track record of establishing global strategies and the capability to develop long-term customer relationships. To be close to many of our major customers, Mr. Steinberg will be based in Grand Rapids, Michigan, the headquarters of CompX Americas."

CompX is a leading manufacturer of ergonomic computer support systems, precision ball bearing slides and security products.
