

WORLD ACCEPTANCE CORP  
Form 8-K  
April 29, 2016

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 (Date of earliest event reported) April 25, 2016

World Acceptance Corporation  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

South Carolina 0-19599 57-0425114  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

108 Frederick Street  
Greenville, South Carolina 29607  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)  
(Zip Code)

864 298-9800  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable  
(Former name or address, if changed from last report)

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):

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

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On April 25, 2016, Mr. Francisco J. Souza, Senior Vice President, Mexico Division, notified World Acceptance Corporation (the “Company”) that he is retiring, effective May 31, 2016. The Company intends to appoint Mr. Ricardo Cavazos as his successor. Mr. Cavazos has been Managing Vice President of the Company’s Mexico Division since July 2014 and has been with the Company since February 2010. Prior to joining the Company, Mr. Cavazos held leadership positions with a variety of finance companies, including Grupo Financiero Afirme, AIG Consumer Finance Group, Inc., and GE Capital Bank.

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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.

Date: April 29, 2016

World Acceptance Corporation

By: /s/ Janet Lewis Matricciani

Janet Lewis Matricciani  
Chief Executive Officer