## 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 (Date of earliest event reported): October 4, 2018

## SEALED AIR CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware

1-12139

**65-0654331** (IRS Employer

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2415 Cascade Pointe Boulevard Charlotte, North Carolina

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

28208

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (980)-221-3235 Not Applicable (Former Name or Former Address, If Changed Since 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:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

□ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.405) or Rule 12b-2 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company  $\Box$ 

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

On October 4, 2018 the Board of Directors of Sealed Air Corporation (the "Company") elected Harry A. Lawton III as a director, effective January 1, 2019. The Board expects to determine committee assignments for Mr. Lawton at a subsequent meeting. Mr. Lawton will receive compensation under the Company's compensatory and other arrangements for non-employee directors which are described in the Company's Proxy Statement dated April 5, 2018. The Board has determined that Mr. Lawton is independent under the Company's Standards for Director Independence and the New York Stock Exchange listing standards. Mr. Lawton is not a party to any transactions described in Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K involving the Company or any of its subsidiaries.

### 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.

### SEALED AIR CORPORATION

By: /s/ Thomas C. Lagaly

Name: Thomas C. Lagaly

Title: Vice President, Acting General Counsel & Secretary

Dated: October 9, 2018