

DIODES INC /DEL/  
Form 8-K  
December 13, 2016

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

December 7, 2016

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

DIODES INCORPORATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

002-25577 95-2039518

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(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer  
of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

4949 Hedgcoxe Road, Suite 200

Plano, Texas 75024  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(972) 987-3900

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On December 7, 2016, Diodes (Shanghai) Investment Company Limited (“Diodes Shanghai”), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Diodes Incorporated (the “Company”), entered into a 2016 Amendment to Joint Venture Agreement (the “Amendment”) with Chengdu Ya Guang Electronic Company Limited (“Ya Guang”). Under the Amendment, both parties agree that the registered capital of Diodes Technology (Chengdu) Company Limited, the joint venture semiconductor manufacturing entity between the Company and Ya Guang (the “Joint Venture”), shall be increased by US\$76 million to US\$126 million, together with additional paid in capital of \$8 million. The increase in registered and additional paid in capital will be made by a US\$12 million cash contribution by Diodes Shanghai and by the conversion of approximately US\$72 million of existing indebtedness of the Joint Venture to subsidiaries of the Company. The ownership in the Diodes Shanghai Joint Venture will be increased from 95% to approximately 98%.

The foregoing summary is qualified in its entirety by reference to the copy of the Amendment, which are being filed as Exhibits 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1	2016 Amendment to Joint Venture Agreement, effective as of December 7, 2016, between Diodes (Shanghai) Investment Company Limited and Chengdu Ya Guang Electronic Company Limited
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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.

Dated: December 13, 2016      DIODES  
INCORPORATED

By /s/ Richard D. White  
RICHARD D. WHITE  
Chief Financial Officer

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