NATUS MEDICAL INC Form 8-K October 16, 2015

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 15, 2015

Natus Medical Incorporated

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware000-3300177-0154833(State or other jurisdiction(Commission(IRS Employerof incorporation)File Number)Identification No.)

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6701 Koll Center Parkway Suite 120 Pleasanton, CA 94566

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (925) 223-6700

Not applicable

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

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ITEM 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

On October 15, 2015 Natus Medical Incorporated (the "Company"), through Medix I.C.S.A ("Medix"), a subsidiary of the Company based in Buenos Aires, Argentina, entered into a supply agreement (the "Supply Agreement") with the Ministry of Health of Venezuela ("Ministry of Health") to provide medical equipment, supplies and services over a three-year period, including certain third party products. Under the terms of the Supply Agreement, products and services will be delivered pursuant to prepayments made by the Ministry of Health. Prepayments totaling approximately \$69 million are expected by the first quarter of 2016. Payments will be received in Argentine Pesos based on the current exchange rate of the U.S. dollar and the Argentine Peso at the time of payment. The agreement may be canceled at any time by the Ministry of Health except for the amount of any prepayments. If fully performed, the total sales under the agreement would aggregate \$232.5 million.

Medix has partnered with a local distributor to provide distribution and technical service support to hospitals in Venezuela.

Natus expects the operating profitability over the life of the Supply Agreement to be similar to the company's corporate average operating margin.

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.

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Date: October 15 , 2015 By: /s/ Jonathan A. Kennedy Jonathan A. Kennedy Senior Vice President Finance & Chief Financial Officer