

FLUIDIGM CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 27, 2012

**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)**

**December 21, 2012**

**FLUIDIGM CORPORATION**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

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(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission

(IRS Employer

File Number)

Identification No.)

**7000 Shoreline Court, Suite 100**

**South San Francisco, California 94080**

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(650) 266-6000**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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 (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 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On December 21, 2012, we entered into a Business Financing Modification Agreement (the **Modification Agreement** ) with Bridge Bank, National Association ( **Bridge Bank** ), effective as of December 16, 2012. The **Modification Agreement** amends the Business Financing Agreement between us and Bridge Bank, dated December 16, 2010, as amended (together with the **Modification Agreement**, the **Business Financing Agreement** ).

The **Modification Agreement**, among other things, (i) establishes a higher credit limit of \$10.0 million for advances made pursuant to the **Business Financing Agreement**, (ii) permits eligible receivables advances and non-formula advances, but provides a sublimit for non-formula advances of \$6.0 million, (iii) extends the maturity date to December 16, 2014, (iv) changes the interest rate to the prime rate (as defined in the **Business Financing Agreement**) plus 0.50% and (v) amends certain definitions, covenants and financial reporting obligations. Except to the extent specifically amended pursuant to the **Modification Agreement**, the **Business Financing Agreement** remains in full force and effect.

The foregoing description of the **Modification Agreement** is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the **Modification Agreement**, which is filed herewith as Exhibit 4.8B and incorporated by reference in its entirety.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits.**

Pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the attached exhibit is deemed to have been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission:

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
4.8B	Business Financing Modification Agreement dated December 21, 2012, by and between Bridge Bank, National Association and Fluidigm Corporation.

**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.

**FLUIDIGM CORPORATION**

Date: December 27, 2012

By: /s/ Vikram Jog  
Vikram Jog

Chief Financial Officer

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