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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): December 7, 2016

MARVELL TECHNOLOGY GROUP LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda 0-30877 77-0481679

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Canon s Court

22 Victoria Street

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Hamilton HM 12

Bermuda

(Address of principal executive offices)

(441) 296-6395

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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 obligations 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 December 7, 2016, the Board of Directors (the Board) of Marvell Technology Group Ltd. (the Company) appointed Tudor Brown to serve as a member of the Board, effective immediately. Mr. Brown was appointed for a term that extends until the 2017 annual meeting of the shareholders.

Mr. Brown, 58, was one of the founding members and, until May 2012, President of ARM Holdings plc (ARM), a publicly-traded, semiconductor IP and software design company based in Cambridge, UK. Mr. Brown began his career at ARM over twenty years ago as a principal engineer and later assumed other roles, including Chief Technical Officer from 1997 through 2000, Chief Operating Officer from 2001 through 2008, and a member of the board of directors from 2001 through his retirement in May 2012. Mr. Brown currently serves on the board of directors of Lenovo Group, Semiconductor Manufacturing International Corporation and Tessera Technologies, Inc.

Mr. Brown s election to the Board was not pursuant to any arrangement or understanding between Mr. Brown and any third party. The Board has determined that Mr. Brown will qualify as independent under the guidelines promulgated by the Nasdaq Stock Market, Inc. and the applicable Securities and Exchange Commission rules.

Mr. Brown has no direct or indirect material interest in any transaction required to be disclosed pursuant to Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

On December 13, 2016, the Company issued a press release announcing Mr. Brown s appointment to the Board. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
 - 99.1 Press Release dated December 13, 2016

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: December 13, 2016

MARVELL TECHNOLOGY GROUP LTD.

By: /s/ Mitchell Gaynor Mitchell Gaynor EVP, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated December 13, 2016