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) February 4, 2019

Fabrinet

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Cayman Islands
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-34775 (Commission File Number) 98-1228572 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

c/o Intertrust Corporate Services (Cayman) Limited
190 Elgin Avenue
George Town
Grand Cayman
KY1-9005
Cayman Islands

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

+66 2-524-9600 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

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

	ck 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 owing provisions (see General Instruction A.2):						
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	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))						
	cate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) ule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).						
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	f an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any ew or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.						

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 4, 2019, Fabrinet issued a press release regarding its financial results for the fiscal quarter ended December 28, 2018. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information in this Form 8-K and the exhibit attached shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), nor shall they be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 <u>Press release dated February 4, 2019</u>

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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By:	/s/ Toh-Seng Ng
	Toh-Seng Ng

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer

Date: February 4, 2019

Fabrinet Announces Second Quarter Fiscal Year 2019 Financial Results

BANGKOK, Thailand – February 4, 2019 – Fabrinet (NYSE: FN), a leading provider of advanced optical packaging and precision optical, electromechanical and electronic manufacturing services to original equipment manufacturers of complex products, today announced its financial results for its second quarter ended December 28, 2018.

Seamus Grady, Chief Executive Officer of Fabrinet, said, "We are pleased to have delivered record results in the fiscal second quarter, exceeding our prior guidance with particular strength from products to the telecom market. We are optimistic that Q3 will represent a record third quarter for us in terms of both revenue and profitability, and that our strong market position will enable us to extend our track record of success over the longer-term."

Second Quarter Fiscal Year 2019 Financial Highlights

As of the first quarter of fiscal 2019, Fabrinet is reporting results under the new revenue recognition standard Accounting Standards Codification Topic 606 ("ASC 606"), using the modified retrospective method. Financial results for reporting periods prior to fiscal year 2019 are presented as previously disclosed in conformity with the old revenue recognition standard Accounting Standards Codification Topic 605 ("ASC 605"). A reconciliation to ASC 605 is included at the end of this press release.

GAAP Results

- Revenue for the second quarter of fiscal year 2019 was \$403.1 million, compared to revenue of \$337.1 million for the comparable period in fiscal year 2018.
- GAAP net income for the second quarter of fiscal year 2019 was \$31.5 million, compared to GAAP net income of \$19.3 million for the second quarter of fiscal year 2018. GAAP net income for the second quarter of fiscal year 2019 included a foreign exchange loss of \$0.4 million, or \$(0.01) per diluted share, compared to a foreign exchange loss of \$1.3 million, or \$(0.04) per diluted share, for the second quarter of fiscal year 2018.
- GAAP net income per diluted share for the second quarter of fiscal year 2019 was \$0.84, compared to GAAP net income per diluted share of \$0.51 for the second quarter of fiscal year 2018.

Non-GAAP Results

- Non-GAAP net income for the second quarter of fiscal year 2019 was \$36.5 million, compared to non-GAAP net income of \$27.3 million for the second quarter of fiscal year 2018. Non-GAAP net income for the second quarter of fiscal year 2019 included a foreign exchange loss of \$0.4 million, or \$(0.01) per diluted share, compared to a foreign exchange loss of \$1.3 million, or \$(0.04) per diluted share, for the second quarter of fiscal year 2018.
- Non-GAAP net income per diluted share for the second quarter of fiscal year 2019 was \$0.97, compared to non-GAAP net income per diluted share of \$0.72 for the same period in fiscal year 2018.

Share Repurchase Program Update

There was no share repurchase activity during the three months ended December 28, 2018. As of December 28, 2018, Fabrinet had a remaining authorization to purchase up to an additional \$17.6 million worth of its ordinary shares.

Business Outlook

The guidance provided below for the third quarter of fiscal 2019 is based on ASC 605; however, we will report revenues for such quarter based on ASC 606. As of the first quarter of fiscal 2019, Fabrinet is reporting results under ASC 606, which it is adopting for fiscal year 2019 on a modified retrospective method. A reconciliation to ASC 605 is included at the end of this press release.

Based on information available as of February 4, 2019, Fabrinet is issuing guidance for its third fiscal quarter of 2019 ending March 29, 2019, as follows:

- Fabrinet expects third quarter revenue to be in the range of \$384 million to \$392 million.
- GAAP net income per diluted share is expected to be in the range of \$0.71 to \$0.75, based on approximately 37.6 million fully diluted shares outstanding.
- Non-GAAP net income per diluted share is expected to be in the range of \$0.86 to \$0.90, based on approximately 37.6 million fully diluted shares outstanding.

Conference Call Information

What: Fabrinet Second Quarter Fiscal-Year 2019 Financial Results Call

When: Monday, February 4, 2019

Time: 5:00 p.m. ET

Live Call: (888) 357-3694, domestic

(253) 237-1137, international

Passcode: 2047796

Replay: (855) 859-2056, domestic

(404) 537-3406, international

Passcode: 2047796

Webcast: http://investor.fabrinet.com/ (live and replay)

This press release and any other information related to the call will also be posted on Fabrinet's website at http://investor.fabrinet.com. A recorded version of this webcast will be available approximately two hours after the call and will be archived on Fabrinet's website for a period of one year.

About Fabrinet

Fabrinet is a leading provider of advanced optical packaging and precision optical, electro-mechanical, and electronic manufacturing services to original equipment manufacturers of complex products, such as optical communication components, modules and subsystems, automotive components, medical devices, industrial lasers and sensors. Fabrinet offers a broad range of advanced optical and electro-mechanical capabilities across the entire manufacturing process, including process design and engineering, supply chain management, manufacturing, advanced packaging, integration, final assembly and test. Fabrinet focuses on production of high complexity products in any mix and any volume. Fabrinet maintains engineering and manufacturing resources and facilities in Thailand, the United States of America, the People's Republic of China and the United Kingdom. For more information visit: www.fabrinet.com.

Forward-Looking Statements

"Safe Harbor" Statement Under U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements include: (1) statements regarding our optimism that Q3 will represent a record third quarter for both revenue and profitability; (2) statements regarding our optimism that our strong market position will enable us to deliver further financial success over the longer-term; and (3) all of the statements under the "Business Outlook" section regarding our expected revenue, GAAP and non-GAAP net income per share, and fully diluted shares outstanding for the third quarter of fiscal year 2019. These forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties, and actual results could vary materially from these forward-looking statements. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to: less customer demand for our products and services than forecasted; less growth in the optical communications, industrial lasers and sensors markets than we forecast; difficulties expanding into additional markets, such as the semiconductor processing, biotechnology, metrology and materials processing markets; increased competition in the optical manufacturing services markets; difficulties in delivering products and services that compete effectively from a price and performance perspective; our reliance on a small number of customers and suppliers; difficulties in managing our operating costs; difficulties in managing our operating costs; difficulties in managing and operating our business across multiple countries (including Thailand, the People's Republic of China, the U.S. and the U.K.); and other important factors as described in reports and documents we file from time to time with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), including the factors described under the section captioned "Risk Factors" in our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, filed on November 6, 2018. We disclaim any obligatio

Use of Non-GAAP Financials

We refer to the non-GAAP financial measures cited above in making operating decisions because they provide meaningful supplemental information regarding our ongoing operational performance. Non-GAAP net income excludes: share-based compensation expenses; depreciation of fair value uplift; severance payments; expenses related to our CFO search; debt administration expense; amortization of intangibles; business combination expenses; loss (gain) on foreign currency contracts; amortization of debt issuance costs; restructuring charges; and ASC 606 adjustments. We have excluded these items in order to enhance investors' understanding of our underlying operations. The use of these non-GAAP financial measures has material limitations because they should not be used to evaluate our company without reference to their corresponding GAAP financial measures. As such, we compensate for these material limitations by using these non-GAAP financial measures in conjunction with GAAP financial measures.

These non-GAAP financial measures are used to: (1) measure company performance against historical results, (2) facilitate comparisons to our competitors' operating results, and (3) allow greater transparency with respect to information used by management in making financial and operational decisions. In addition, these non-GAAP financial measures are used to measure company performance for the purposes of determining employee incentive plan compensation.

SOURCE: Fabrinet

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (unaudited)

(in thousands of U.S. dollars, except share data)	December 28, 2018	June 29, 2018
Assets Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 230,996	\$ 158,102
Restricted cash in connection with business acquisition	— 2 50,550	3,331
Short-term investments	151,508	174,269
Trade accounts receivable, net	261,519	246,912
Contract assets	13,336	_
Inventory, net	277,893	257,687
Prepaid expenses	9,809	8,061
Other current assets	5,044	5,948
Total current assets	950,105	854,310
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment, net	212,314	219,640
Intangibles, net	4,283	4,880
Goodwill	3,698	3,828
Deferred tax assets	5,454	5,280
Other non-current assets	72	80
Total non-current assets	225,821	233,708
Total Assets	\$1,175,926	\$1,088,018
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity		
Current liabilities		
Bank borrowings	\$ 3,250	\$ 3,250
Trade accounts payable	248,253	220,159
Capital lease liability, current portion	409	451
Income tax payable	2,568	709
Deferred liability in connection with business acquisition	_	3,331
Accrued payroll, bonus and related expenses	16,327	13,476
Accrued expenses	9,106	9,013
Other payables	17,637	19,728
Total current liabilities	297,550	270,117
Non-current liabilities		
Long-term loan from bank	60,125	60,938
Deferred tax liability	2,939	2,284
Capital lease liability, non-current portion	302	516
Severance liabilities	11,173	10,162
Other non-current liabilities	2,304	3,062
Total non-current liabilities	76,843	76,962
Total Liabilities	374,393	347,079
Commitments and contingencies (Note 15)		
Shareholders' equity		
Preferred shares (5,000,000 shares authorized, \$0.01 par value; no shares issued and outstanding as of		
December 28, 2018 and June 29, 2018)	_	_
Ordinary shares (500,000,000 shares authorized, \$0.01 par value; 38,138,159 shares and 37,723,733 shares issued; and 36,849,056 shares and 36,434,630 shares outstanding as of December 28, 2018 and June 29, 2018,		
respectively)	381	377
Additional paid-in capital	151,639	151,797
Less: Treasury shares (1,289,103 shares and 1,289,103 shares as of December 28, 2018 and June 29, 2018, respectively)	(42,401)	(42,401)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(1,077)	(1,257)
Retained earnings	692,991	632,423
Total Shareholders' Equity	801,533	740,939
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$1,175,926	\$1,088,018

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (unaudited)

	Do	Three Months Ended December 28, December 29,			Six Months Ended December 28, December 29			
(in thousands of U.S. dollars, except per share amounts)	Dec	2018	Dec	2017	De	2018	De	2017
Revenues	\$	403,080	\$	337,072	\$	780,257	\$	694,385
Cost of revenues		(357,516)		(299,906)		(694,417)		(616,887)
Gross profit		45,564		37,166		85,840		77,498
Selling, general and administrative expenses		(12,727)		(13,157)		(27,164)		(28,835)
Expenses related to reduction in workforce		(319)		(1,776)		(404)		(1,776)
Operating income		32,518		22,233		58,272		46,887
Interest income		1,182		596		2,626		1,405
Interest expense		(1,616)		(826)		(2,250)		(1,679)
Foreign exchange (loss) gain, net		(421)		(1,348)		2,647		(3,282)
Other income		562		250		639		347
Income before income taxes		32,225		20,905		61,934		43,678
Income tax expense		(712)		(1,592)		(2,571)		(3,332)
Net income		31,513		19,313		59,363		40,346
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax:								
Change in net unrealized gain (loss) on available-for-sale securities		598		(462)		886		(432)
Change in net unrealized loss on derivative instruments		_		_		(1)		(1)
Change in foreign currency translation adjustment	_	(505)		44		(705)		569
Total other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax		93		(418)		180		136
Net comprehensive income	\$	31,606	\$	18,895	\$	59,543	\$	40,482
Earnings per share								
Basic	\$	0.86	\$	0.52	\$	1.62	\$	1.08
Diluted	\$	0.84	\$	0.51	\$	1.59	\$	1.06
Weighted-average number of ordinary shares outstanding (thousands of shares)								
Basic		36,841		37,477		36,733		37,462
Diluted		37,471		38,156		37,305		38,160

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (unaudited)

	Six Mont	hs Ended
(in thousands of IIC dallays)	December 28, 2018	December 29, 2017
(in thousands of U.S. dollars) Cash flows from operating activities	2010	2017
Net income for the period	\$ 59,363	\$ 40,346
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		
Depreciation and amortization	15,000	14,265
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	528	_
Loss on disposal of intangibles	149	_
Loss from sales and maturities of available-for-sale securities	1,060	357
Amortization of investment premium	(533)	(163)
Amortization of deferred debt issuance costs	_	295
Allowance for doubtful accounts	_	5
Unrealized (gain) loss on exchange rate and fair value of derivative instruments	(5,775)	1,740
Share-based compensation	8,949	12,378
Deferred income tax	481	(153)
Other non-cash expenses	580	962
Inventory obsolescence	29	654
Changes in operating assets and liabilities		
Trade accounts receivable	(14,381)	5,707
Contract assets	(3,459)	_
Inventory	(28,909)	(1,047)
Other current assets and non-current assets	2,128	(6,801)
Trade accounts payable	29,276	(33,626)
Income tax payable	1,859	(791)
Other current liabilities and non-current liabilities	2,953	2,985
Net cash provided by operating activities	69,298	37,113
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchase of short-term investments	(82,141)	(48,679)
Proceeds from sales of short-term investments	70,472	18,672
Proceeds from maturities of short-term investments	34,788	31,427
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(9,732)	(21,405)
Purchase of intangibles	(251)	(689)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	5	35
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	13,141	(20,639)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds of short-term loans from bank	_	5,000
Repayment of short-term loans from bank	_	(1,003)
Repayment of long-term loans from bank	(813)	(6,800)
Repayment of capital lease liability	(255)	(174)
Repurchase of ordinary shares	_	(9,910)
Proceeds from issuance of ordinary shares under employee share option plans	_	990
Release of restricted cash held in connection with business acquisition	(3,478)	_
Withholding tax related to net share settlement of restricted share units	(9,103)	(3,744)
Net cash used in financing activities	(13,649)	(15,641)
Net increase in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash	68,790	833
Movement in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash		
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash at beginning of period	161,433	137,137
Increase in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash	68,790	833
Effect of exchange rate on cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash	773	284
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash at end of period	\$ 230,996	\$ 138,254
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Non-cash investing and financing activities	ф 2.000	¢ 5.550
Construction, software-related and equipment-related payables	\$ 2,888	\$ 5,658

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (unaudited) (Continued)

The following table provides a reconciliation of cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash reported within the condensed consolidated balance sheets that sum to the total of the same amounts shown in the condensed consolidated statements of cash flows:

(amount in thousands)	As of December 28, 2018	As of December 29, 2017
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 230,996	\$ 134,831
Restricted cash in connection with business acquisition (non-current assets)		3,423
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash	\$ 230,996	\$ 138,254

FABRINET RECONCILIATION OF ASC 605 TO ASC 606

	Three Months Ended December 28, 2018		
(in thousands of U.S. dollars, except per share amounts)	ASC 605	ASC 606	Impact
Revenues	\$ 399,901	\$ 403,080	\$(3,179)
Cost of revenues	(353,341)	(356,132)	2,791
Gross profit	46,560	46,948	(388)
Selling, general and administrative expenses	(9,426)	(9,426)	
Operating income	37,134	37,522	(388)
Interest income	1,182	1,182	_
Interest expense	(1,616)	(1,616)	
Foreign exchange loss	(421)	(421)	
Other income	562	562	
Income before income taxes	36,841	37,229	(388)
Income tax expense	(712)	(712)	
Net income	36,129	36,517	(388)
Other comprehensive income, net of tax:			
Change in net unrealized gain on available-for-sale securities	598	598	
Change in foreign currency translation adjustment	(505)	(505)	
Total other comprehensive income, net of tax	93	93	
Net comprehensive income	\$ 36,222	\$ 36,610	(388)
Earnings per share			
Basic	\$ 0.98	\$ 0.99	\$ (0.01)
Diluted	\$ 0.96	\$ 0.97	\$ (0.01)
Weighted-average number of ordinary shares outstanding (thousands of shares)			
Basic	36,841	36,841	_
Diluted	37,471	37,471	_

FABRINET RECONCILIATION OF GAAP MEASURES TO NON-GAAP MEASURES

	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended				
	December 28, 2018 December 29, 2017 (ASC 606) (ASC 605)		December (ASC		December (ASC			
(in thousands of U.S. dollars, except per share data)	Net income	Net Diluted Net Diluted		Net income	Diluted EPS	Net income	Diluted EPS	
GAAP measures	31,513	0.84	19,313	0.51	59,363	1.59	40,346	1.06
Items reconciling GAAP net (loss) income & EPS to non-GAAP net income & EPS:								
Related to cost of revenues:								
Share-based compensation expenses	1,300	0.03	1,812	0.05	3,147	0.08	3,713	0.10
Depreciation of fair value uplift	84	0.00	86	0.00	173	0.00	153	0.00
ASC 606 adoption impact on gross profit					(31)	(0.00)		
Total related to gross profit	1,384	0.04	1,898	0.05	3,289	0.09	3,866	0.10
Related to selling, general and administrative expenses:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				·	·		
Share-based compensation expenses	2,669	0.07	3,646	0.10	5,802	0.16	8,665	0.23
Expenses related to CFO/CEO search	382	0.01	204	0.01	572	0.02	204	0.01
Amortization of intangibles	176	0.00	208	0.01	368	0.01	377	0.01
Business combination expenses	58	0.00	11	0.00	240	0.01	117	0.00
Severance payment	16	0.00			601	0.02		
Total related to selling, general and administrative expenses	3,301	0.09	4,069	0.11	7,583	0.20	9,362	0.25
Related to other incomes and other expenses:								
Other expenses in relation to reduction in workforce	319	0.01	1,776	0.05	404	0.01	1,776	0.05
Amortization of debt issuance costs			267	0.01			540	0.01
Total related to other incomes and other expenses	319	0.01	2,043	0.05	404	0.01	2,316	0.06
Total related to net income & EPS	5,004	0.13	8,010	0.21	11,276	0.30	15,544	0.41
Non-GAAP measures	36,517	0.97	27,323	0.72	70,639	1.89	55,890	1.47
Shares used in computing diluted net income per share								
GAAP diluted shares		37,471		38,156		37,305		38,160
Non-GAAP diluted shares		37,471		38,156		37,305		38,160

FABRINET RECONCILIATION OF NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES TO FREE CASH FLOW

(amount in thousands)	Three Mor	nths Ended	Six Months Ended			
	December 28, 2018	December 27, 2017	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 34,705	\$ 40,167	\$ 69,298	\$ 37,113		
Less: Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(4,322)	(10,202)	(9,732)	(21,405)		
Non-GAAP free cash flow	\$ 30,383	\$ 29,965	\$ 59,566	\$ 15,708		

FABRINET GUIDANCE FOR QUARTER ENDING MARCH 29, 2019 RECONCILIATION OF GAAP MEASURES TO NON-GAAP MEASURES

	Diluted EPS
GAAP net income per diluted share:	\$0.71 to \$0.75
Related to cost of revenues:	
Share-based compensation expenses	0.04
Total related to gross profit	0.04
Related to selling, general and administrative expenses:	
Share-based compensation expenses	0.09
Expenses related to our CFO search	0.01
Total related to selling, general and administrative expenses	0.10
Related to other incomes and other expenses:	
Other expenses in relation to reduction in workforce	0.01
Total related to other incomes and other expenses	0.01
Total related to net income & EPS	0.15
Non-GAAP net income per diluted share	\$0.86 to \$0.90