

AMARIN CORP PLC\UK  
Form 8-K  
March 20, 2012

**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): March 20, 2012**

**Amarin Corporation plc**

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

**England and Wales**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**  
  
**of incorporation)**

**0-21392**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**Not applicable**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

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**2 Pembroke House, Upper Pembroke Street 28-32, Dublin 2,**

**Ireland**  
(Address of principal executive offices)  
**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: +353 1 6699 020**

**Not applicable**  
(Zip Code)

**Not Applicable**

**Former name or former address, if changed since last report**

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

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On March 20, 2012, Amarin Corporation plc announced that the United States Patent and Trademark Office published notification of a Notice of Allowance for U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 12/052,598 titled Highly Purified Ethyl EPA and Other EPA Derivatives, also known as the EPA with no DHA in a capsule application.

**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.

Date: March 20, 2012

Amarin Corporation plc

By: /s/ John Thero  
John Thero  
President