

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

**Report of Foreign Private Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16
under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the Month of January 2026

1-15240
(Commission File Number)

JAMES HARDIE INDUSTRIES plc
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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(Address of principal executive offices)

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Forward-Looking Statements

This Form 6-K contains forward-looking statements. James Hardie Industries plc (the “Company”) may from time to time make forward-looking statements in its periodic reports filed with or furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission, on Forms 20-F and 6-K, in its annual reports to shareholders, in offering circulars, invitation memoranda and prospectuses, in media and earnings releases and other written materials and in oral statements made by the Company’s officers, directors or employees to analysts, institutional investors, existing and potential lenders, representatives of the media and others. Statements that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements and such forward-looking statements are statements made pursuant to the Safe Harbor Provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995.

Examples of forward-looking statements include:

- statements about the future integration of AZEK, including its anticipated benefits;
- statements about the Company’s future performance;
- projections of the Company’s results of operations or financial condition;
- statements regarding the Company’s plans, objectives or goals, including those relating to strategies, initiatives, competition, acquisitions, dispositions and/or its products;
- expectations concerning the costs associated with the suspension or closure of operations at any of the Company’s plants and future plans with respect to any such plants;
- expectations concerning the costs associated with the significant capital expenditure projects at any of the Company’s plants and future plans with respect to any such projects;
- expectations regarding the extension or renewal of the Company’s credit facilities including changes to terms, covenants or ratios;
- expectations concerning dividend payments and share buy-backs;
- statements concerning the Company’s Corporate and tax domiciles and structures and potential changes to them, including potential tax charges;
- statements regarding tax liabilities and related audits, reviews and proceedings;
- statements regarding the possible consequences and/or potential outcome of legal proceedings brought against us and the potential liabilities, if any, associated with such proceedings;
- expectations about the timing and amount of contributions to AICF, a special purpose fund for the compensation of proven Australian asbestos-related personal injury and death claims;
- statements regarding the Company’s ability to manage legal and regulatory matters (including but not limited to product liability, environmental, intellectual property and competition law matters) and to resolve any such pending legal and regulatory matters within current estimates and in anticipation of certain third-party recoveries; and
- statements about economic or housing market conditions in the regions in which we operate, including but not limited to, the levels of new home construction and home renovations, unemployment levels, changes in consumer income, changes or stability in housing values, the availability of mortgages and other financing, mortgage and other interest rates, housing affordability and supply, the levels of foreclosures and home resales, currency exchange rates, and builder and consumer confidence.

Words such as “believe,” “anticipate,” “plan,” “expect,” “intend,” “target,” “estimate,” “project,” “predict,” “forecast,” “guideline,” “aim,” “will,” “should,” “likely,” “continue,” “may,” “objective,” “outlook” and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements but are not the exclusive means of identifying such statements. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements and all such forward-looking statements are qualified in their entirety by reference to the following cautionary statements.

Forward-looking statements are based on the Company's current expectations, estimates and assumptions and because forward-looking statements address future results, events and conditions, they, by their very nature, involve inherent risks and uncertainties, many of which are unforeseeable and beyond the Company's control. Such known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors may cause actual results, performance or other achievements to differ materially from the anticipated results, performance or achievements expressed, projected or implied by these forward-looking statements. These factors, some of which are discussed under "Risk Factors" in Section 3 of our Form 20-F filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on 20 May 2025, include, but are not limited to: all matters relating to or arising out of the prior manufacture of products that contained asbestos by current and former Company subsidiaries; required contributions to AICF, any shortfall in AICF funding and the effect of currency exchange rate movements on the amount recorded in the Company's financial statements as an asbestos liability; compliance with and changes in tax laws and treatments; competition and product pricing in the markets in which the Company operates; the consequences of product failures or defects; exposure to environmental, asbestos, putative consumer class action or other legal proceedings; general economic and market conditions; the supply and cost of raw materials; possible increases in competition and the potential that competitors could copy the Company's products; compliance with and changes in environmental and health and safety laws; risks of conducting business internationally; compliance with and changes in laws and regulations; currency exchange risks; dependence on customer preference and the concentration of the Company's customer base; dependence on residential and commercial construction markets; the effect of adverse changes in climate or weather patterns; use of accounting estimates; the AZEK acquisition; and all other risks identified in the Company's reports filed with Australian, Irish and US securities regulatory agencies and exchanges (as appropriate). The Company cautions you that the foregoing list of factors is not exhaustive and that other risks and uncertainties may cause actual results to differ materially from those referenced in the Company's forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made and are statements of the Company's current expectations concerning future results, events and conditions. The Company assumes no obligation to update any forward-looking statements or information except as required by law.

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: 09 January 2026

James Hardie Industries plc
By: /s/ Aoife Rockett

Aoife Rockett
Company Secretary

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Announcement Summary

Entity name

JAMES HARDIE INDUSTRIES PLC

Announcement Type

New announcement

Date of this announcement

Wednesday December 24, 2025

The +securities to be quoted are:

+Securities issued under an +employee incentive scheme that are not subject to a restriction on transfer or that are to be quoted notwithstanding there is a restriction on transfer

Total number of +securities to be quoted

ASX +security code	Security description	Number of +securities to be quoted	Issue date
JHX	CHESS DEPOSITARY INTERESTS 1:1	296	17/12/2025

Refer to next page for full details of the announcement



Part 1 - Entity and announcement details

1.1 Name of entity

JAMES HARDIE INDUSTRIES PLC

We (the entity named above) apply for +quotation of the following +securities and agree to the matters set out in Appendix 2A of the ASX Listing Rules.

1.2 Registered number type

ARBN

Registration number

097829895

1.3 ASX issuer code

JHX

1.4 The announcement is

New announcement

1.5 Date of this announcement

24/12/2025



Part 2 - Type of Issue

2.1 The +securities to be quoted are:

+Securities issued under an +employee incentive scheme that are not subject to a restriction on transfer or that are to be quoted notwithstanding there is a restriction on transfer

2.2 The +class of +securities to be quoted is:

Additional +securities in a class that is already quoted on ASX ("existing class")



Part 3B - number and type of +securities to be quoted (existing class) where issue has not previously been notified to ASX in an Appendix 3B

Additional +securities to be quoted in an existing class issued under an +employee incentive scheme

FROM (Existing Class)

ASX +security code and description

No security currently exists

FROM (Existing Class)

+Security description

n/a

TO (Existing Class)

ASX +security code and description

JHX : CHESS DEPOSITARY INTERESTS 1:1

Please state the number of +securities issued under the +employee incentive scheme that are not subject to a restriction on transfer or that are to be quoted notwithstanding there is a restriction on transfer

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Please provide details of a URL link for a document lodged with ASX detailing the terms of the +employee incentive scheme or a summary of the terms

The terms of the James Hardie 2020 Non-Executive Director Equity Plan were summarised in the Notice of Meeting at Item 7 and the applicable Explanatory Notes. That publication is accessible at:

<https://ir.jameshardie.com.au/financial-information/annual-reports-and-notice-of-meetings>

Are any of these +securities being issued to +key management personnel (KMP) or an +associate

No

Issue date

17/12/2025

Will the +securities to be quoted rank equally in all respects from their issue date with the existing issued +securities in that class?

Yes



Issue details

Number of +securities to be quoted

296

Are the +securities being issued for a cash consideration?

Yes

In what currency is the cash consideration being paid? What is the issue price per +security?

AUD - Australian Dollar

AUD 28.40000000

Any other information the entity wishes to provide about the +securities to be quoted



Part 4 - Issued capital following quotation

Following the quotation of the +securities the subject of this application, the issued capital of the entity will comprise:

The figures in parts 4.1 and 4.2 below are automatically generated and may not reflect the entity's current issued capital if other Appendix 2A, Appendix 3G or Appendix 3H forms are currently with ASX for processing.

4.1 Quoted +securities (total number of each +class of +securities quoted on ASX following the +quotation of the +securities subject of this application)

ASX +security code and description	Total number of +securities on issue
JHX : CHESS DEPOSITARY INTERESTS 1:1	430,398,404

4.2 Unquoted +securities (total number of each +class of +securities issued but not quoted on ASX)

ASX +security code and description	Total number of +securities on issue
JHXAK : RESTRICTED STOCK UNIT	5,195,479
JHXAM : ORDINARY SHARES	149,484,850
JHXAL : OPTION EXPIRING 03-NOV-2027 EX \$33.05	269,221



Part 5 - Other Listing Rule requirements

5.1 Are the +securities being issued under an exception in Listing Rule 7.2 and therefore the issue does not need any security holder approval under Listing Rule 7.1?
Yes

5.1a Select the number of the applicable exception in Listing Rule 7.2

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Part 1 - Entity and announcement details

1.1 Name of +Entity

JAMES HARDIE INDUSTRIES PLC

1.2 Registered Number Type

ARBN

Registration Number

097829895

1.3 ASX issuer code

JHX

1.4 The announcement is

New announcement

1.5 Date of this announcement

7/1/2026



Part 2 - Details of +CDIs and other +securities on issue

2.1 Statement for month and year

December-2025

2.2a Number and class of all +CDIs issued over quoted +securities

ASX Security Code and Description		+CDI Ratio
JHX : CHESS DEPOSITARY INTERESTS 1:1		1:1
Total number of +CDIs issued over quoted +securities at end of statement month (A):	Total number of +CDIs issued over quoted +securities at end of previous month (B):	Net Difference (A-B)
430,398,404	430,398,404	0

If the total number of +CDIs issued over quoted +securities at the end of the statement month, is greater than the total number of +CDIs issued over quoted +securities for which the entity has previously paid an initial listing fee or an additional listing fee under Table 1A and 1C of Guidance Note 15A, the entity hereby applies for +quotation of the relevant securities and agrees to the matters set out in Appendix 2A of the ASX Listing Rules.

2.2b Number and class of all +securities on issue over which +CDIs have not been issued

ASX Security Code and Description		
JHXAM : ORDINARY SHARES		
Total number of +securities at end of statement month (A)	Total number of +securities at end of previous month (B)	Net Difference (A-B)
149,484,850	149,484,850	0
ASX Security Code and Description		
JHXAK : RESTRICTED STOCK UNIT		
Total number of +securities at end of statement month (A)	Total number of +securities at end of previous month (B)	Net Difference (A-B)
5,195,479	5,195,479	0
ASX Security Code and Description		
JHXAL : OPTION EXPIRING 03-NOV-2027 EX \$33.05		
Total number of +securities at end of statement month (A)	Total number of +securities at end of previous month (B)	Net Difference (A-B)
269,221	269,221	0

Rule 3.19A.2

Appendix 3Y

Change of Director's Interest Notice

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

Introduced 30/09/01 Amended 01/01/11

Name of entity	James Hardie Industries plc
ARBN	097 829 895

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.2 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

Name of Director	Jesse Singh
Date of last notice	18 December 2025

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Appendix 3Y
Change of Director's Interest Notice

Part 1 - Change of director's relevant interests in securities

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (i) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Direct or indirect interest	Direct
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) <small>Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.</small>	n/a
Date of change	2 January 2026
No. of securities held prior to change	Current relevant interest is: Direct: 258,592 Ordinary Shares Indirect: The Linda S.R. Singh Family Trust – 358,797 The Jesse Singh 2016 Irrevocable Trust – 499,740 The Jesse G. Singh Revocable Trust – 555,471 The Jesse Singh 2024 Trust – 103,400
Class	Ordinary shares
Number acquired	Nil
Number disposed	56,993
Value/Consideration <small>Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation</small>	USD \$1,186,024.33
No. of securities held after change	Current relevant interest is: Direct: 201,599 Ordinary Shares Indirect: The Linda S.R. Singh Family Trust – 358,797 The Jesse Singh 2016 Irrevocable Trust – 499,740 The Jesse G. Singh Revocable Trust – 555,471 The Jesse Singh 2024 Trust – 103,400
Nature of change <small>Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back</small>	Reflects payment of tax liability by withholding securities in connection with vesting of restricted stock units

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Part 2 – Change of director's interests in contracts

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (ii) of the definition of “notifiable interest of a director” should be disclosed in this part.

Detail of contract	Nil
Nature of interest	Nil
Name of registered holder (if issued securities)	Nil
Date of change	Nil
No. and class of securities to which interest related prior to change <small>Note: Details are only required for a contract in relation to which the interest has changed</small>	Nil
Interest acquired	Nil
Interest disposed	Nil
Value/Consideration <small>Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and an estimated valuation</small>	Nil
Interest after change	Nil

Part 3 – +Closed period

Were the interests in the securities or contracts detailed above traded during a +closed period where prior written clearance was required?	No
If so, was prior written clearance provided to allow the trade to proceed during this period?	Not applicable
If prior written clearance was provided, on what date was this provided?	Not applicable

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.