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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM S-3 REGISTRATION STATEMENT

under

the Securities Act of 1933

WESTINGHOUSE AIR BRAKE TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 1001 Air Brake Avenue 25-1615902 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Wilmerding, Pennsylvania 15148-0001

(412) 825-1000

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant s principal executive offices)

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Wilmerding, Pennsylvania 15148-0001

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: From time to time after the effective date of this Registration Statement.

If the only securities being registered on this form are being offered pursuant to dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box.

If any of the securities being registered on this form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or interest reinvestment plans, check the following box. x

If this form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, please check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

If this form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act of 1933, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

If this form is a registration statement pursuant to General Instruction I.D. or a post-effective amendment thereto that shall become effective upon filing with the Commission pursuant to Rule 462(e) under the Securities Act, check the following box. x

If this form is a post-effective amendment to a registration statement filed pursuant to General Instruction I.D. filed to register additional securities or additional classes of securities pursuant to Rule 413(b) under the Securities Act, check the following box.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer	X	Accelerated filer
Non-accelerated filer	" (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)	Smaller reporting company

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

		Amount	Proposed Maximum	Proposed Maximum	
	Title of each Class of	to be	Offering Price	Aggregate	Amount of
Debt Securities	Securities to be Registered	Registered (1)	Per Unit (1)	Offering Price (1)	Registration Fee (1)

Debt Securities
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share
Preferred Stock, par value \$.01 per share
Warrants
Depositary Shares
Purchase Contracts
Units (2)

- (1) An indeterminate aggregate initial offering price and amount of the securities of each identified class is being registered as may be offered and sold from time to time at indeterminate prices. Separate consideration may or may not be received for securities that are issuable upon exercise, conversion or exchange of other securities or that are issued in units or represented by depositary shares. In accordance with Rules 456(b) and 457(r), the registrant is deferring payment of all of the registration fee required in connection with this registration statement.
- (2) Any securities registered hereunder may be sold separately or as units with other securities registered hereunder.

Prospectus

Westinghouse Air Brake Technologies Corporation

Debt Securities

Common Stock

Preferred Stock

Warrants

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We may offer to sell from time to time, in one or more classes or series, debt securities, common stock, preferred stock, warrants, depositary shares, purchase contracts or units, or any combination of these securities. The debt securities, warrants, purchase contracts and preferred stock may be convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for our common stock, preferred stock or other securities or debt or equity securities of one or more other entities.

Our common stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange and trades under the ticker symbol WAB. If we decide to seek a listing of any securities offered by this prospectus, we will disclose the exchange or market on which the securities will be listed, if any, or where we have made an application for listing, if any, in one or more supplements to this prospectus.

This prospectus describes some of the general terms that may apply to these securities and the general manner in which they may be offered. The specific terms of any securities to be offered and the specific manner in which they may be offered will be described in one or more supplements to this prospectus. This prospectus may not be used to sell securities unless it is accompanied by a prospectus supplement that contains a description of those securities.

We may offer and sell these securities to or through one or more underwriters, dealers or agents, or directly to other purchasers, on a continuous or delayed basis. If any offering involves underwriters, dealers or agents, arrangements with them will be described in a prospectus supplement relating to that offering.

You should consider carefully the <u>Risk Factors</u> described on page 2 and in any applicable prospectus supplement before investing in any of our securities offered by this prospectus or any prospectus supplement.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or passed upon the accuracy or adequacy of this prospectus or determined if this prospectus is truthful and complete. Any representation

to the contrary is a criminal offense.

The date of this prospectus is August 5, 2013.

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ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS

This prospectus is part of a registration statement that we filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, which we refer to in this prospectus as the SEC, utilizing an automatic shelf registration process. Under this shelf registration process, we may sell from time to time any combination of the securities described in this prospectus in one or more offerings. This prospectus provides you with a general description of the securities we may offer. You should assume that the information appearing in this prospectus is accurate only as of the date of this prospectus. Our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects may change after that date. Each time we sell securities under this prospectus, we will provide a prospectus supplement that will contain or incorporate by reference specific information about the terms of that offering. Each prospectus supplement also may add, update or change information contained in this prospectus. We urge you to read both this prospectus and any prospectus supplement, together with the additional information described below under Where You Can Find More Information.

No person has been authorized to give any information or to make any representations, other than as contained or incorporated by reference in this prospectus, and, if given or made, we and any underwriter, agent, dealer or remarketing firm take no responsibility for such information or representations. Neither the delivery of this prospectus nor any sale made under this prospectus shall under any circumstances create any implication that there has been no change in our affairs since the date of this prospectus or that the information contained or incorporated by reference in this prospectus is correct as of any time subsequent to the date of such information. This prospectus does not constitute an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy any securities by anyone in any jurisdiction in which such offer or solicitation is not authorized or in which the person making such offer or solicitation is not qualified to do so or to any person to whom it is an unlawful to make such offer or solicitation.

WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION

Available Information

We file reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC. Such reports, proxy statements and other information that we file with the SEC can be read and copied at the SEC s Public Reference Room at 100 F Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20549. Please call the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330 to obtain further information on the operation of the Public Reference Room. The SEC maintains an Internet site that contains reports, proxy and information statements and other information regarding issuers that file electronically with the SEC, including us. The SEC s Internet address is http://www.sec.gov. In addition, our common stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange, and our reports and other information can be inspected at the offices of the New York Stock Exchange, 20 Broad Street, New York, New York 10005. Our Internet address is http://www.wabtec.com. The information on our Internet site is not a part of this prospectus.

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Incorporation by Reference

The SEC allows us to incorporate by reference information that we file with it. This means that we can disclose important information to you by referring you to other documents. Any information we incorporate in this manner is considered part of this prospectus except to the extent updated and superseded by information contained in this prospectus and any prospectus supplement. Some information that we file with the SEC after the date of this prospectus and until we sell all of the securities covered by this prospectus will automatically update and supersede the information contained in this prospectus.

We incorporate by reference the following documents that we have filed with the SEC and any filings that we make with the SEC in the future under Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), until we sell all of the securities covered by this prospectus, including between the date of this prospectus and the date on which any offering of securities under this prospectus is terminated, except as noted in the paragraph below:

Our SEC Filings (File No. 033-90866)	Period for or Date of Filing
Annual Report on Form 10-K	Year ended December 31, 2012
Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q	Quarters ended March 31 and June 30, 2013
Current Reports on Form 8-K	May 15, May 22 and August 5, 2013

The portions of our Definitive Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A that are deemed filed with the SEC under the Exchange Act

April 1, 2013

Pursuant to General Instruction B of Form 8-K, any information submitted under Item 2.02, Results of Operations and Financial Condition, or Item 7.01, Regulation FD Disclosure, of Form 8-K is not deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, and we are not subject to the liabilities of Section 18 with respect to information submitted under Item 2.02 or Item 7.01 of Form 8-K. We are not incorporating by reference any information submitted under Item 2.02 or Item 7.01 of Form 8-K into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act), or the Exchange Act or into this prospectus.

Statements contained in this prospectus as to the contents of any contract, agreement or other document referred to in this prospectus do not purport to be complete, and where reference is made to the particular provisions of that contract, agreement or other document, those references are qualified in all respects by reference to all of the provisions contained in that contract, agreement or other document. For a more complete understanding and description of each such contract, agreement or other document, we urge you to read the exhibits to the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part.

Any statement contained in a document incorporated by reference, or deemed to be incorporated by reference, into this prospectus will be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this prospectus to the extent that a statement contained herein or in any other subsequently filed document which also is incorporated by reference in this prospectus modifies or supersedes that statement. Any such statement so modified or superseded will not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this prospectus.

We will provide without charge, upon written or oral request, a copy of any or all of the documents that are incorporated by reference into this prospectus and a copy of any or all other contracts, agreements or documents which are referred to in this prospectus. Requests should be directed to: Westinghouse Air Brake Technologies Corporation, Wilmerding, Pennsylvania 15148-0001, Attention: Corporate Secretary; telephone number: (412) 825-1000. You also may review a copy of the registration statement and its exhibits at the SEC s Public Reference Room in Washington, D.C., as well as through the SEC s Internet site, *http://www.sec.gov*.

SUMMARY

This summary is a brief discussion of material information contained in, or incorporated by reference into, this prospectus, as further described above under Where You Can Find More Information. This summary does not contain all of the information that you should consider before investing in any securities being offered by this prospectus. We urge you to carefully read this entire prospectus, the documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus and the prospectus supplement relating to the securities that you propose to buy, especially any description of investment risks that we may include in the prospectus supplement or in documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus. References to Wabtec, the registrant, we, our, us and similar terms mean Westinghouse Air Brake Technologies Corporation and its consolidated subsidiar unless the context requires otherwise.

Westinghouse Air Brake Technologies Corporation

Wabtec is one of the world s largest providers of value-added, technology-based equipment and services for the global rail industry. Our highly engineered products, which are intended to enhance safety, improve productivity and reduce maintenance costs for customers, can be found on virtually all U.S. locomotives, freight cars, subway cars and buses.

We are a Delaware corporation with our principal executive offices located at 1001 Air Brake Avenue, Wilmerding, Pennsylvania 15148-0001. Our telephone number is (412) 825-1000.

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RISK FACTORS

Investing in our securities involves risks. Before deciding whether to purchase any of our securities, you should carefully consider the risks involved in an investment in our securities, as set forth in Item 1A, Risk Factors, in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for our fiscal year ended December 31, 2012, as updated in our Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, and the other risks described in any prospectus supplement or in any of the documents incorporated by reference in this prospectus. The risks and uncertainties that we discuss in any document incorporated by reference in this prospectus are those that we believed as of the date of the document to be risks which may materially affect our company. Additional risks and uncertainties not then known to us or that we then believed to be immaterial also may materially and adversely affect our business, financial condition and results of operations.

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

In this prospectus, statements that are not reported financial results or other historical information are—forward-looking statements—within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act and Section 21E of the Exchange Act. Forward-looking statements give current expectations or forecasts of future events and are not guarantees of future performance. They are based on our management—s expectations that involve a number of business risks and uncertainties, any of which could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed in or implied by the forward-looking statements.

You can identify these forward-looking statements by the fact that they do not relate strictly to historic or current facts. They use words such as anticipates, believes, estimates, expects, would, should, will, will likely result, forecast, outlook, projects and similar expression of future operating or financial performance. Any forward-looking statement speaks only as of the date on which such statement is made, and we undertake no obligation to update any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. You are advised, however, to consult any further disclosures we make on related subjects in our reports to the SEC.

These forward-looking statements are subject to various risks, uncertainties and assumptions about us, including, among other things:

Economic and industry conditions

prolonged unfavorable economic and industry conditions in the markets served by us, including North America, South America, Europe, Australia, Asia and South Africa;
decline in demand for freight cars, locomotives, passenger transit cars, buses, subways, power generation equipment and related products and services;
reliance on major original equipment manufacturer customers;
original equipment manufacturers program delays;
demand for services in the freight and passenger rail industry;
demand for our products and services;
orders either being delayed, cancelled, not returning to historical levels, or reduced or any combination of the foregoing;

consolidations in the rail industry;

continued outsourcing by our customers;

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Table of Contents industry demand for faster and more efficient braking equipment; fluctuations in interest rates and foreign currency exchange rates; or availability of credit; **Operating factors** supply disruptions; technical difficulties; changes in operating conditions and costs; increases in raw material costs; successful introduction of new products; performance under material long-term contracts; labor relations; completion and integration of acquisitions; or the development and use of new technology; **Competitive factors** the actions of competitors, including with respect to price, product performance, technology advances and customer service and support; Political/governmental factors political stability in relevant areas of the world; future regulation/deregulation of our customers and/or the rail industry;

levels of governmental funding on transit projects, including for some of our customers;

political developments and laws and regulations, including those related to Positive Train Control;

federal and state income tax legislation; or

the outcome of our existing or any future legal proceedings, including litigation involving our principal customers and any litigation with respect to warranty or product liability claims, environmental matters, asbestos-related matters and pension liabilities; and **Transaction or commercial factors**

the outcome of negotiations with partners, governments, suppliers, customers or others.

We caution you that the foregoing list of important factors may not contain all of the material factors that are important to you. In addition, in light of these risks and uncertainties, the matters referred to in the forward-looking statements contained in this prospectus, any prospectus supplement and the documents incorporated herein by reference may not in fact occur. Any forward-looking statements in this prospectus, any prospectus supplement and the documents incorporated herein by reference speak only as of the date of the applicable document, and we undertake no obligation to update any forward-looking statement to reflect events or circumstances after that date or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events, except as otherwise required by law.

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SELECTED HISTORICAL CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL DATA

Except as described below, we derived the selected consolidated financial data shown below (i) as of December 31, 2010, 2011 and 2012 and for each of the years then ended from our audited consolidated financial statements incorporated by reference in this prospectus and (ii) as of June 30, 2012 and 2013 and for each of the six-month periods then ended from our unaudited consolidated financial statements incorporated by reference in this prospectus. The selected consolidated financial data shown below as of December 31, 2008 and 2009 and for each of the years then ended have been derived from audited consolidated financial statements not included in this prospectus. The unaudited consolidated financial statements from which we derived the interim period data were prepared on the same basis as the audited consolidated financial data and include all adjustments, consisting only of normal recurring adjustments, necessary to present fairly our results of operations and financial condition as of the periods presented. The results of operations for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of the operating results for any future period.

On May 14, 2013, our stockholders approved an amendment to our Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation to increase the number of authorized shares of our common stock to 200,000,000 shares. In addition, on May 14, 2013, our Board of Directors approved a two-for-one split of the Company's issued and outstanding common stock in the form of a 100% stock dividend. The increase in the authorized shares and the stock split became effective on May 14, 2013 and June 11, 2013, respectively. All common share and per common share amounts in our selected historical consolidated financial data set forth below have been updated to reflect the two-for-one stock split in the form of a 100% stock dividend. All other items set forth in our audited consolidated financial statements contained in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for our fiscal year ended December 31, 2012 (the 2012 Form 10-K) or our unaudited consolidated financial statements contained in our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for our fiscal quarter ended June 30, 2013 (the June 30 Form 10-Q), each of which is incorporated by reference in this prospectus, remain unchanged. Accordingly, (i) the selected historical consolidated financial data as of December 31, 2010, 2011 and 2012 and for each of the years then ended, as set forth below, does not reflect events occurring after the filing of the 2012 Form 10-K and should be read in conjunction with the 2012 Form 10-K and the filings made by us with the SEC subsequent to the filing of the six-month periods then ended, as set forth below, does not reflect events occurring after the filing of the June 30 Form 10-Q and should be read in conjunction with the June 30 Form 10-Q and the filings made by us with the SEC subsequent to the filing of the June 30 Form 10-Q. We have not updated matters reflected in the 2012 Form 10-K or the June 30 Form 10-Q except to the extent expressly provided above.

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In thousands, except per share		Year Ended December 31,								(Unaudited) Six Months Ended June 30,				
amounts		2008		2009		2010		2011		2012		2012		2013
Income Statement Data														
Net sales	\$ 1	,574,749	\$	1,401,616	\$	1,507,012	\$	1,967,637	\$ 2	2,391,122	\$	1,193,129	\$ 1	1,253,512
Gross profit		427,186		393,326		449,078		570,424		694,567		342,808		375,769
Operating expenses		(214,670)		(213,294)		(246,268)		(299,723)		(302,288)		(147,833)		(159,548)
Income from operations (1)	\$	212,516	\$	180,032	\$	202,810	\$	270,701	\$	392,279	\$	194,975	\$	216,221
Interest expense, net		(8,508)		(16,674)		(15,923)		(15,007)		(14,251)		(7,233)		(6,885)
Other income (expense), net		292		1		(60)		(380)		(670)		109		(175)
Net income from continuing														
operations		130,554		115,055		123,099		170,149		251,732		123,973		144,251
Loss from discontinued operations (net of tax)		(3)												
Net income attributable to Wabtec shareholders (2)	\$	130,551	\$	115,055	\$	123,099	\$	170,149	\$	251,732	\$	123,973	\$	144,251
Diluted Earnings Per Common Share														
Net income attributable to Wabtec shareholders	\$	1.33	\$	1.19	\$	1.28	\$	1.76	\$	2.60	\$	1.28	\$	1.49
Cash dividends declared per share	\$	0.02	\$	0.02	\$	0.02	\$	0.04	\$	0.08	\$	0.03	\$	0.05
Fully diluted shares outstanding		97,694		95,954		96,010		96,658		96,742		96,666		96,606
Balance Sheet Data														