## 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): May 6, 2021

#### Linde plc

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ireland (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-38730 (Commission File Number) 98-1448883 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

The Priestley Centre
10 Priestley Road
Surrey Research Park
Guildford, Surrey GU2 7XY
United Kingdom
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

+44 1483 242200 (Registrant's telephone numbers, including area code)

Check 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 following provisions:		
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Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:		
Title of each class	Trading symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Ordinary shares (€0.001 nominal value per share)	LIN	New York Stock Exchange
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging grov 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this c	1 2	5 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule
Emerging growth company $\square$		
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#### ITEM 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On May 6, 2021, Linde plc issued a press release setting forth Linde plc's results of operations for the quarter ended March 31, 2021. A copy of Linde plc's press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is hereby incorporated by reference in this Item 2.02.

### ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is furnished herewith pursuant to Item 2.02 hereof:

Exhibit No.	Description
00.1	D. D.L. 114 (2004)
<u>99.1</u>	Press Release dated May 6, 2021
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

#### 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.

By: /s/ Kelcey E. Hoyt

Name: Kelcey E. Hoyt
Title: Principal Accounting Officer

Date: May 6, 2021