

J C PENNEY CO INC  
Form 8-K  
April 28, 2015

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): April 28, 2015

J. C. PENNEY COMPANY, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware<br>(State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation ) | 1-15274<br>(Commission File No.) | 26-0037077<br>(IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |
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| 6501 Legacy Drive<br>Plano, Texas<br>(Address of principal executive offices) | 75024-3698<br>(Zip code) |
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (972) 431-1000  
Not Applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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))
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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(b) On April 28, 2015, Mary Beth West informed the Board of Directors of J. C. Penney Company, Inc. (the “Company”) that she had accepted the position of Executive Vice President, Chief Customer and Marketing Officer with the Company. Accordingly, Ms. West will be resigning from the Board of Directors of the Company, effective May 15, 2015, and will not stand for re-election at the Company’s 2015 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. A copy of the Company’s press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibit 99.1 J. C. Penney Company, Inc. Press Release dated April 28, 2015

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

J. C. PENNEY COMPANY, INC.

By: /s/ Brynn L. Evanson  
Brynn L. Evanson  
Executive Vice President, Human Resources

Date: April 28, 2015

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number Description

99.1 J. C. Penney Company, Inc. Press Release dated April 28, 2015