

RITE AID CORP  
Form 8-K  
May 14, 2008

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 12, 2008

Rite Aid Corporation  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware<br>(State or Other Jurisdiction<br>of Incorporation) | 1-5742<br>(Commission File Number) | 23-1614034<br>(IRS Employer<br>Identification Number) |
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30 Hunter Lane, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania 17011  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(717) 761-2633  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A  
(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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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))



Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On May 12, 2008, Robert A. Mariano resigned as a member of the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Rite Aid Corporation (the "Company").

On May 13, 2008, James L. Donald was appointed as a member of the Board to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mr. Mariano. Mr. Donald's term will expire at the Company's 2009 annual meeting of stockholders. As a non-employee director, Mr. Donald will receive compensation in accordance with the Company's policies for compensating outside directors.

The Company issued a press release dated May 14, 2008 announcing the appointment of Mr. Donald to the Board and the resignation of Mr. Mariano from the Board. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of Rite Aid Corporation, dated May 14, 2008

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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 hereto duly authorized.

RITE AID CORPORATION

Date: May 14, 2008

By: /s/ Robert B. Sari  
Name: Robert B. Sari  
Title: Executive Vice President,  
General Counsel and  
Secretary

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EXHIBIT INDEX

| Exhibit No. | Description   |
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