

DONALDSON CO INC  
Form 8-K  
July 29, 2016

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**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): July 29, 2016

**DONALDSON COMPANY, INC.**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-7891**  
(Commission file number)

**41-0222640**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**1400 West 94th Street**  
**Minneapolis, MN 55431**  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

**(952) 887-3131**  
Registrant's telephone number, including area code

**Not Applicable**  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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  - ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.**

On July 29, 2016, upon recommendation of the Corporate Governance Committee, the Board of Directors of Donaldson Company, Inc. (the “Company”) approved the amendment and restatement of the Company’s Amended and Restated Bylaws to reflect certain updates and modernize the Bylaws.

The amendments include the following: (i) clarifying that the Chairman of the Board is not an officer position within the Company, (ii) indicating that shares of the Company’s stock may be held in certificated or uncertificated form, (iii) indicating that the Board may from time to time authorize the Company’s Chief Executive Officer to appoint and remove officers, other than executive officers, and (iv) conforming the Bylaws to recent developments under the Delaware General Corporation Law, such as providing flexibility for the use of electronic transmission or electronic mail for certain notices. The amendments also incorporate certain other non-substantive updates and clarifications.

The Amended and Restated Bylaws, as of July 29, 2016, are filed as Exhibit 3-C hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

3-C Amended and Restated Bylaws of Registrant (as of July 29, 2016)

## SIGNATURE

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.

Date: July 29, 2016

**DONALDSON COMPANY, INC.**

By: /s/ Amy C. Becker  
Name: Amy C. Becker  
Title: Vice President, General  
Counsel and Secretary

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SIGNATURE

## EXHIBIT INDEX

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
3-C	Amended and Restated Bylaws of Registrant (as of July 29, 2016)