

SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported):

October 4, 2013

McCormick & Company, Incorporated  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

001-14920  
(Commission  
File Number)

52-0408290  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

18 Loveton Circle  
Sparks, Maryland  
(Address of principal executive offices)

21152  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (410) 771-7301

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):

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)).

Item 5.02(c) Appointment of Certain Officers.

Christina M. McMullen will be joining McCormick & Company, Incorporated as the Vice President & Controller, effective October 21, 2013. She will serve as the Chief Accounting Officer of the company. She replaces Kenneth A. Kelly, Jr., Senior Vice President & Controller, who is retiring from the company at the end of December 2013. Ms. McMullen is not an executive officer of the company. From 2000 to 2010, she served as the Vice President & Controller of The Black & Decker Corporation until its acquisition by The Stanley Works. Prior to joining McCormick & Company, Ms. McMullen served as the Chief Accounting Officer of Apex Tool Group LLC.

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.

McCORMICK & COMPANY, INCORPORATED

Dated: October 4, 2013

By: /s/ W. Geoffrey Carpenter  
W. Geoffrey Carpenter  
Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary