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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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): November 12, 2012

McDONALD S CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware1-523136-2361282(State or Other Jurisdiction(Commission(IRS Employerof Incorporation)File Number)Identification No.)

One McDonald s Plaza

Oak Brook, Illinois

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

60523

(Zip Code)

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(Registrant s telephone number, including area code): (630) 623-3000

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))

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

Janice Fields will cease to serve as President of McDonald s USA effective November 30, 2012. The McDonald s Board of Directors elected Executive Vice President and Global Chief Restaurant Officer Jeffrey Stratton to succeed Ms. Fields, effective December 1, 2012.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99 Press Release of McDonald s Corporation issued November 15, 2012 McDonald s Announces Change in Leadership at McDonald s USA

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.

McDONALD S CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Date: November 15, 2012 By: /s/ Denise A. Horne

Denise A. Horne

Corporate Vice President -

Associate General Counsel and Assistant

Secretary

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Exhibit No. 99 Press Release of McDonald s Corporation issued November 15, 2012

McDonald s Announces Change in Leadership at McDonald s USA