HEWLETT PACKARD CO Form 8-K April 21, 2014

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

${\tt CURRENT~REPORT}\\ {\tt PURSUANT~TO~SECTION~13~OR~15(d)~OF}\\ {\tt THE~SECURITIES~EXCHANGE~ACT~OF~1934}\\$

April 17, 2014

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported)

HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 1-4423 (Commission File Number) 94-1081436 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

3000 HANOVER STREET, PALO ALTO, CA (Address of principal executive offices)

94304 (Zip code)

(650) 857-1501 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act $(17\ CFR\ 240.14d-2(b))$
- o 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.

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On April 17, 2014, Jeff T. Ricci accepted the position of Senior Vice President, Controller and Principal Accounting Officer of Hewlett-Packard Company ("HP"), effective immediately. Mr. Ricci, age 52, has served as Controller and Principal Accounting Officer of HP on an interim basis since November 1, 2013. Previously, Mr. Ricci served as Vice President of Finance for HP's Technology and Operations organization from May 2012 to October 2013. Mr. Ricci served as Vice President of Finance for Global Accounts and HP Financial Services from March 2011 to May 2012 and Vice President of Finance for HP Software from March 2009 to March 2011. Prior to joining HP, Mr. Ricci served as Senior Vice President of Finance for BEA Systems, Inc., an enterprise software company, from December 2000 until June 2008.

Mr. Ricci has not been a party to any transaction with HP or its subsidiaries of the type required to be disclosed pursuant to Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K, and no such transaction is currently contemplated.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY

DATE: April 21, 2014 By: /s/ Rishi Varma

Name: Rishi Varma

Title: Senior Vice President, Deputy General Counsel

and Assistant Secretary

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