TARGET CORP Form 8-K January 12, 2012

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) January 12, 2012

Target Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) **1-6049** (Commission File Number) **41-0215170** (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1000 Nicollet Mall, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(612) 304-6073

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

Exhibits.

On January 12, 2012, Target Corporation announced that its Board of Directors authorized a new \$5 billion share repurchase program.

The News Release describing this program is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

Item 9.01.

Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(**d**)

(99) Target Corporation s News Release dated January 12, 2012 announcing a share repurchase program.

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.

TARGET CORPORATION

Date: January 12, 2012

/s/ Douglas A. Scovanner Douglas A. Scovanner Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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