

LOWES COMPANIES INC
Form 8-K
May 31, 2016

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) May 27, 2016

LOWE'S COMPANIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| North Carolina | 1-7898 | 56-0578072 |
| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (IRS Employer Identification No.) |

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| 1000 Lowe's Blvd., Mooresville, NC | 28117 |
| (Address of principal executive offices) | (Zip Code) |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (704) 758-1000

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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.

(a) On May 27, 2016, , the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of Lowe’s Companies, Inc. (the “Company”) approved certain amendments to the Company’s Bylaws (as amended, the “Bylaws”), effective immediately, to provide for greater flexibility with respect to the formation and authority of committees of the Board. The Bylaws also include a number of ministerial, clarifying and conforming changes.

The foregoing description is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Company’s Bylaws, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 3.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

3.1 Bylaws of Lowe’s Companies, Inc., as amended and restated May 27, 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.

LOWE'S COMPANIES, INC.

Date: May 31, 2016 By: /s/ Ross W. McCanless

Ross W. McCanless

General Counsel, Secretary and Chief Compliance Officer

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