

DONALDSON CO INC  
Form 8-K  
July 29, 2013

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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Current Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 26, 2013

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**DONALDSON COMPANY, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-7891**  
(Commission file number)

**41-0222640**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**1400 West 94th Street**  
**Minneapolis, MN 55431**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**(952) 887-3131**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.**

On July 26, 2013, the Board of Directors of Donaldson Company, Inc. (“Donaldson”) appointed Andrew Cecere to the Company’s Board of Directors, effective September 27, 2013. Mr. Cecere, 53, is Vice Chairman and Chief Financial Officer of Minneapolis, Minnesota-based U.S. Bancorp. The addition of Cecere will increase the number of Directors to 11.

A copy of the press release that discusses these matters is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to, and incorporated by reference in, this report.

Mr. Cecere will also serve on the Audit Committee of the Board.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated July 29, 2013 issued by Donaldson Company, Inc.

**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.

Date: July 29, 2013

**DONALDSON COMPANY, INC.**

By: /s/ Norman C. Linnell

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Name: Norman C. Linnell  
Title: Vice President, General Counsel and  
Secretary

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release dated July 29, 2013 issued by Donaldson Company, Inc.

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