

BARNES & NOBLE INC  
Form 8-K  
August 24, 2015

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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): August 24, 2015 (August 21, 2015)

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BARNES & NOBLE, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Delaware	1-12302	06-1196501
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

122 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York 10011  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 633-3300

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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))

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

(d) On August 21, 2015, the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of Barnes & Noble, Inc. (the “Company”) elected Ronald D. Boire to the Board, effective as of the date he joins the Company as the Chief Executive Officer pursuant to his employment agreement with the Company (the “Employment Agreement”). The Employment Agreement and Mr. Boire’s biographical information were previously disclosed in a Current Report on Form 8-K filed by the Company with the Securities and Exchange Commission on July 2, 2015 and are incorporated herein by reference.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

BARNES & NOBLE, INC.,

Date: August 24, 2015 By: /s/ Bradley A. Feuer

Name: Bradley A. Feuer

Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary