

WABASH NATIONAL CORP /DE
Form 8-K
November 09, 2018

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

November 7, 2018
(Date of earliest event reported)

Wabash National Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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| Delaware | 001-10883 | 52-1375208 |
| (State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) |

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| 1000 Sagamore Parkway South, Lafayette, Indiana | 47905 | 765-771-5310 |
| (Address of principal executive offices) | (Zip Code) | (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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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

On November 7, 2018, the employment by Wabash National Corporation (the “Company”) of William D. Pitchford, the Company’s Senior Vice President – Human Resources and Assistant Secretary (the “Executive”), ended. In connection with the cessation of his employment, the Executive is entitled to receive the severance benefits provided by the Company’s Executive Severance Plan (the “Plan”) upon a termination of employment without cause, as described in the Company’s definitive proxy statement on Schedule 14A filed with the Securities Exchange Commission on April 6, 2018. Under the terms of the Plan, the Executive’s entitlement to severance is conditioned on his execution and non-revocation of a release of claims and on his compliance with restrictive covenants set forth in the Plan. No new compensatory arrangements were entered into with the Executive in connection with the cessation of his employment, and no existing arrangements were modified.

SIGNATURES

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

WABASH NATIONAL CORPORATION

Date: November 9, 2018 By: /s/ Jeffery L. Taylor
Jeffery L. Taylor
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer