

QUEST DIAGNOSTICS INC  
Form 8-K  
January 15, 2014

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

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): January 10, 2014

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Quest Diagnostics Incorporated  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

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Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-12215  
(Commission File Number)

16-1387862  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Three Giralda Farms  
Madison, NJ 07940  
(Address of principal executive offices)

07940  
(Zip Code)

(973) 520-2700  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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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)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  - 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))
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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.

(b) On January 10, 2014, William F. Buehler informed Quest Diagnostics Incorporated of his decision to not seek re-election to the Company's Board of Directors at the Company's Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held May 21, 2014, and to retire from the Board effective as of the date of the Annual Meeting, when his current term as a director expires.

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.

January 15, 2014

QUEST DIAGNOSTICS INCORPORATED

By: /s/ William J. O'Shaughnessy, Jr.  
William J. O'Shaughnessy, Jr.  
Deputy General Counsel and Secretary