

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**
WASHINGTON, DC 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): March 8, 2016

TRUEBLUE, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Washington
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-14543
(Commission File Number)

91-1287341
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1015 A Street, Tacoma, Washington
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

98402
(Zip Code)

(253) 383-9101
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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):

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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.

On March 14, 2016, TrueBlue, Inc. (the “Company”) announced the resignation of directors Craig Tall (effective March 9, 2016) and Gates McKibbin and Tom McChesney (effective March 31, 2016). In connection with these resignations, on March 11, 2016 the Board appointed William Goings and Stephen Robb to the Board, effective April 1, 2016, to serve as directors until the Company’s 2016 annual meeting of shareholders. Mr. Goings and Mr. Robb will stand for re-election at the shareholders meeting.

Mr. Goings has 34 years of global executive leadership experience in financial services, including banking and insurance. Goings most recently served as executive vice president, TD Bank Group and president, TD Insurance, which was the leading direct-to-consumer provider in Canada of insurance solutions. His international experience also includes serving as president of Genworth Financial’s life insurance operations and as CEO of GE Financial Insurance, Europe, a former subsidiary of GE Capital. In connection with his election as a director of the Company, Mr. Goings was appointed to the Audit Committee and Corporate Governance Committee of the Board of Directors.

Mr. Robb was named executive vice president and Chief Financial Officer of The Clorox Company in 2014 after serving as SVP and CFO. Prior to being named CFO, Mr. Robb served as VP of Global Finance. He joined Clorox in 1989 and is the senior executive responsible for strategic planning for the global company’s financial activities and investor relations. In connection with his election as a director of the Company, Mr. Robb was appointed to the Audit Committee and Corporate Governance Committee of the Board of Directors.

There are no arrangements or understandings between Mr. Goings or Mr. Robb and any other persons pursuant to which Mr. Goings or Mr. Robb was selected as a director. There are no transactions since the beginning of the Company’s last fiscal year, or any currently proposed transactions, in which the Company was or is to be a participant and in which Mr. Goings or Mr. Robb, or any member of their immediate family, has a direct or indirect material interest.

Mr. Goings and Mr. Robb will be entitled to receive the same compensation for service as directors as is provided to other non-employee directors of the Company (on a prorated basis for 2016), and will be able to participate in the Company’s Equity Retainer and Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors, in each case as described in more detail in the Company’s Proxy Statement for its 2016 Annual Meeting of Shareholders under the heading “Compensation of Directors.”

On March 14, 2016, the Company issued a press release announcing the resignation of Mr. Tall, Mr. McChesney and Ms. McKibbin from the Board, and the appointment of Mr. Goings and Mr. Robb, a copy of which is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of the Company dated March 14, 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.

TRUEBLUE, INC.
(Registrant)

Date: March 14, 2016

By: /s/ JAMES E. DEFEBAGH
James E. Defebaugh
Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

Stephen Robb and William Goings Appointed to TrueBlue Board of Directors

TACOMA, WASH.—March 14, 2016—TrueBlue, Inc. (NYSE: TBI) announced today that Stephen Robb and William Goings have been appointed to the company's board of directors effective April 1, 2016.

Robb, 51, was named executive vice president and CFO of The Clorox Company in 2014 after serving as SVP and CFO. Prior to being named CFO, Robb served as VP of Global Finance. He joined Clorox in 1989 and is the senior executive responsible for strategic planning for the global company's financial activities and investor relations. Since 2004, Robb has overseen The Clorox Company's cost savings efforts, which have produced an average of \$100 million in savings annually under his stewardship.

Goings, 58, has 34 years of global executive leadership experience in financial services, including banking and insurance. Goings most recently served as executive vice president, TD Bank Group and president, TD Insurance, which was the leading direct-to-consumer provider in Canada of insurance solutions. His international experience also includes serving as president of Genworth Financial's life insurance operations and as CEO of GE Financial Insurance, Europe, a former subsidiary of GE Capital. Goings earlier career involved functional leadership roles in business development, e-business, acquisitions, strategic planning, structured finance, and corporate lending for numerous financial and industrial companies.

"Our history, culture, and strategic direction were key considerations in our succession planning and candidate search," TrueBlue Chairman Joe Sambataro, Jr., said. "Steve and Bill are both strategic business leaders with experience serving high-growth global companies. We're looking forward to the financial acumen and international expertise they will bring to the board. Steve and Bill add a diverse range of skills and new perspective that will help ensure the long-term success of TrueBlue, especially as we extend our global reach."

Robb and Goings will fill two of the three seats on the board that have been held by longtime board members Tom McChesney, Gates McKibbin and Craig Tall, who are resigning and will not stand for re-election at the 2016 Annual Shareholders Meeting in May.

Sambataro expressed his appreciation for the service of McChesney, McKibbin and Tall, who served on the board for 21, 15 and 10 years, respectively. "On behalf of everyone at TrueBlue, I want to thank Tom, Gates and Craig for all they've done to lead TrueBlue through a period of tremendous change and growth," he said.

Robb and Goings are joining a company that has grown in the past several years to become one of the world's leading suppliers of workforce solutions, including specialized staffing, onsite workforce management, and recruitment process outsourcing. TrueBlue reported record revenue of \$2.7 billion in 2015.

About TrueBlue:

TrueBlue (NYSE: TBI) is a leading provider of specialized workforce solutions including staffing, large-volume on-site workforce management, and recruitment process outsourcing to fill full-time positions. Based in Tacoma, Wash., TrueBlue serves clients globally and connects as many as 840,000 people to work each year in a wide variety of industries. Learn more at www.trueblue.com.