

PROGRESSIVE CORP/OH/
Form 8-K
April 09, 2014

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) April 9, 2014 (April 8, 2014)

THE PROGRESSIVE CORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Ohio (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) | 1-9518 (Commission File Number) | 34-0963169 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) |
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| 6300 Wilson Mills Road, Mayfield Village, Ohio (Address of principal executive offices) | 44143 (Zip Code) |
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code (440) 461-5000

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):

- .. 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))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 9, 2014, The Progressive Corporation issued a news release containing financial results for the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries for the month of, and year-to-date period ended, March 2014. A copy of the news release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

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

(b) On April 8, 2014, The Progressive Corporation issued a news release announcing that Brian C. Domeck, the Company's Chief Financial Officer, intends to retire in May 2015, after the Company's 2015 Annual Meeting of Shareholders, and that John P. Sauerland, President of the Company's Personal Lines Group, was expected to be appointed as CFO in early 2015. A copy of the news release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

See exhibit index on page 4.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: April 9, 2014

THE PROGRESSIVE CORPORATION

By: /s/ Jeffrey W. Basch
Name: Jeffrey W. Basch
Title: Vice President and
Chief Accounting Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

| Exhibit No. Under Reg. S-K Item 601 | Form 8-K Exhibit No. | Description |
|--|-------------------------|--|
| 99 | 99.1 | News release dated April 9, 2014, containing financial results of The Progressive Corporation and its consolidated subsidiaries for the month of, and year-to-date period ended, March 2014. |
| 99 | 99.2 | News release dated April 8, 2014, announcing CFO retirement and other management changes. |