

MERCURY SYSTEMS INC
Form 8-K
June 01, 2015

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): June 1, 2015

Mercury Systems, Inc.
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Massachusetts (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	000-23599 (Commission File Number)	04-2741391 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
201 Riverneck Road, Chelmsford, Massachusetts 01824 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)		
Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (978) 256-1300		
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.

The Board of Directors of Mercury Systems, Inc. (the “Company”) elected Mark S. Newman as a director effective June 1, 2015. Mr. Newman was elected as a Class III Director serving a term ending at the Company’s 2015 Annual Meeting of Shareholders, and he is expected to stand for re-election at the 2015 Annual Meeting. Mr. Newman was also appointed to the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors.

Mr. Newman was granted a restricted stock award upon his election pursuant to the Company’s Compensation Policy for Non-Employee Directors. Pursuant to the policy, new non-employee directors are granted equity awards in connection with their first election to the Board. These awards consist of shares of restricted stock with a value equal to three times the annual \$55,000 cash retainer for non-employee directors divided by the average closing price of the Company’s common stock during the 30 calendar days prior to the date of grant. These awards vest as to 50% of the covered shares on each of the first two anniversaries of the date of grant.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

The Company issued a press release on June 1, 2015, announcing the election of Mr. Newman as a director. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1, and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
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