

STEEL DYNAMICS INC
Form 8-K
December 30, 2011

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): **December 30, 2011 (December 27, 2011)**

STEEL DYNAMICS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Indiana
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

0-21719
(Commission File Number)

35-1929476
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

7575 W. Jefferson Blvd., Fort Wayne, Indiana 46804

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **260-969-3500**

Not Applicable

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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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 8.01. Other Events.

As a result of the death on December 27, 2011 of Joseph D. Ruffolo, a member of the board of Steel Dynamics, Inc. and its Lead Director, James C. Marcuccilli, a current director and Co-Chair of the Company's Audit Committee, was appointed as Lead Director to fill Mr. Ruffolo's unexpired term.

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.

STEEL DYNAMICS, INC.

Date: December 30, 2011

/s/ Theresa E. Wagler	
By:	Theresa E. Wagler
Title:	Executive Vice President and CFO