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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): March 5, 2012

Dell Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

0-17017 (Commission 74-2487834 (IRS Employer

File Number)

Identification No.)

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One Dell Way, Round Rock, Texas 78682

(Address of principal executive offices) (zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (800) 289-3355

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

In March 2012, Karen Quintos, Senior Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer of Dell Inc. (Dell), adopted a prearranged trading plan (the Sales Plan) to sell shares of Dell s common stock. The Sales Plan is designed to comply with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and Dell s policies regarding stock transactions. Rule 10b5-1(c) permits directors, officers and other stockholders who are not in possession of material non-public information to adopt a prearranged plan or contract for the purchase or sale of the registrant s securities under specified conditions and at specified times.

The Sales Plan provides for her sale of up to approximately 120,000 shares of Dell common stock during specified periods occurring between April 2012 and February 2013. Any sales made pursuant to the Sales Plan will be made based on share amounts and other conditions specified in the Sales Plan.

All stock sales under the Sales Plan will be disclosed publicly in accordance with applicable securities laws, rules and regulations through appropriate filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

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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.

DELL INC.

Date: March 8, 2012

By: /s/ Janet B. Wright Janet B. Wright Vice President and Assistant Secretary (Duly authorized officer)

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