

ADTRAN INC  
Form 8-K  
October 15, 2013

**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): October 8, 2013**

**ADTRAN, Inc.**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State of Incorporation)**

**0-24612**  
**(Commission file number)**

**63-0918200**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**

**(Identification Number)**

**901 Explorer Boulevard,**

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**Huntsville, Alabama 35806-2807**

**(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)**

**(256) 963-8000**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

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

ADTRAN, Inc. announced today that Ross K. Ireland has informed the Company of his intention to resign from the Board effective November 1, 2013, in order to pursue more fully his other interests. The Company indicated that the Board of Directors will undertake a search for Mr. Ireland's replacement. Ross has been a valued director of our Company since May 2008. I truly appreciate Ross' contribution to our company and we will miss his service, said Tom Stanton, Chairman and CEO of the Company.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized on October 15, 2013.

**ADTRAN, Inc.**

**(Registrant)**

By: /s/ James E. Matthews  
James E. Matthews  
Senior Vice President Finance,  
Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer,  
Secretary and Director  
(Principal Accounting Officer)