

GREENBRIER COMPANIES INC  
Form 8-K  
October 30, 2015

**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 30, 2015**

**THE GREENBRIER COMPANIES, INC.**

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

**Commission File No. 1-13146**

**Oregon**  
**(State of Incorporation)**

**One Centerpointe Drive, Suite 200, Lake Oswego, OR 97035**

**93-0816972**

**(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)**

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**(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)**

**(503) 684-7000**

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

**Former name or former address, if changed since last report: N/A**

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))

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure**

Sale of Company Stock Held by Chief Executive Officer

On October 30, 2015, The Greenbrier Companies, Inc. ( Greenbrier ) issued a press release announcing that William A. Furman, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, intends to sell a portion of his Greenbrier common stock over time as part of Mr. Furman s long-term strategy for estate planning and diversification of his investment portfolio. The sales will be made in accordance with Greenbrier s insider trading policy, and may include sales pursuant to a pre-arranged stock trading plan in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

As previously announced, Greenbrier recently increased its authorization for its stock repurchase program. Greenbrier does not intend to execute repurchases during the window in which Mr. Furman is selling shares.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits:

| Exhibit | Description  |
|---------|--|
| 99.1    | Press Release dated October 30, 2015 of The Greenbrier Companies, Inc. |

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

**THE GREENBRIER COMPANIES, INC.**

Date: October 30, 2015

By: /s/ Mark J. Rittenbaum  
Mark J. Rittenbaum  
Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer  
(Principal Financial Officer)