

Ascent Capital Group, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
January 23, 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): January 19, 2015  
ASCENT CAPITAL GROUP, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	001-34176	26-2735737
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

5251 DTC Parkway, Suite 1000  
Greenwood Village, Colorado 80111

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (303) 628-5600

(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))

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

Michael R. Haislip, Executive Vice President of Ascent Capital Group, Inc. (“Ascent”) and President and Chief Executive Officer of Ascent’s wholly-owned subsidiary Monitronics International, Inc. (“Monitronics”), has informed Ascent of his intention to retire from his current roles with Ascent and Monitronics at the end of his existing employment contract on June 14, 2016. Monitronics has begun a search for Mr. Haislip’s successor.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: January 23, 2015

ASCENT CAPITAL GROUP, INC.

By: /s/ William E. Niles

Name: William E. Niles

Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary