

MCDONALDS CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 04, 2009

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

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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): November 30, 2009

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McDONALD'S CORPORATION  
(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

1-5231  
(Commission  
File Number)

36-2361282  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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One McDonald's Plaza  
Oak Brook, Illinois  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

60523  
(Zip Code)

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(630) 623-3000  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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Not Applicable  
(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):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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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.

(b) On November 30, 2009, Ralph Alvarez notified McDonald's Corporation (the "Company") that he would resign as President and Chief Operating Officer of the Company, effective December 31, 2009. On December 1, 2009, Mr. Alvarez resigned from the Board of Directors (the "Board"), effective immediately. On December 3, 2009, the Board reduced its size by one for a total of 13 Directors.

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.

McDONALD'S CORPORATION  
(Registrant)

Date: December 4, 2009

By: /s/ Denise A. Horne  
Denise A. Horne  
Corporate Vice President -  
Associate General Counsel and Assistant  
Secretary

