

VALSPAR CORP  
Form 8-K  
July 22, 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 Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 22, 2015**

**THE VALSPAR CORPORATION**

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

**Delaware**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**

**of incorporation)**

**1-3011**  
**(Commission**

**File Number)**

**36-2443580**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**

**Identification No.)**

**1101 South 3rd Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**55415**  
**(Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (612) 851-7000**

**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 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 8.01. Other Events.**

This current Report on Form 8-K (this Report ) is filed for the purpose of incorporating the contents of this Report in the Registration Statement on Form S-3 (No. 333-201521) (the Registration Statement ) and filing the attached Exhibit 12 as an exhibit to the Registration Statement.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

- 12 Computation of Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges for each of the five fiscal years ended October 31, 2014, October 25, 2013, October 26, 2012, October 28, 2011 and October 29, 2010, respectively, and the six month period ended May 1, 2015.

**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 VALSPAR CORPORATION

Dated: July 22, 2015

/s/ Rolf Engh  
ROLF ENGH, *Secretary*

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