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): February 9, 2017

OFFICE DEPOT, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 1-10948 Commission File number 59-2663954 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

6600 North Military Trail, Boca Raton, Florida (Address of principal executive offices) 33496 (Zip Code)

(561) 438-4800 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

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Dere-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.

On February 9, 2017, Michael J. Massey notified the Board of Directors of Office Depot, Inc. (the "Company") that he will not stand for re-election to the Company's Board of Directors at its 2017 Annual Meeting of Shareholders. Mr. Massey currently serves on the Company's Compensation Committee and Finance Committee. Mr. Massey's decision to not stand for re-election did not involve a disagreement with the Company on any matter relating to the Company's operations, policies or practices.

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.

Date: February 15, 2017

OFFICE DEPOT, INC.

By: /s/ Stephen R. Calkins

Stephen R. Calkins Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer & Corporate Secretary