

LACLEDE GROUP INC  
Form 8-K  
October 06, 2014

**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 6, 2014**  
**(September 30, 2014)**

**Exact Name of  
Registrant as**

**Specified in its Charter  
and**

**Principal Office Address  
and**

**State of**

**I.R.S. Employer**

**Commission File No.**

**Telephone Number**

**Incorporation**

**Identification Number**

**The Laclede Group, Inc.**

1-16681                      720 Olive Street                      Missouri                      74-2976504  
                                    St. Louis, MO 63101  
                                    314-342-0500

**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:**

- .. **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 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 September 30, 2014, Mr. Michael R. Spotanski, Senior Vice President, Chief Integration and Innovation Officer of The Laclede Group, Inc. announced he will retire effective January 1, 2015.

**SIGNATURES**

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

THE LACLEDE GROUP, INC.

Date: October 6, 2014

By: /s/ S. Sitherwood  
S. Sitherwood

President and Chief Executive Officer