LPL Financial Holdings Inc. Form 8-K July 13, 2016

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

July 7, 2016

Date of report (date of earliest event reported)

LPL Financial Holdings Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-34963 20-3717839

(State or other jurisdictions of incorporation or (Commission File (I.R.S. Employer Identification

organization) Number) Nos.)

75 State Street Boston MA 02109

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(617) 423-3644

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed since Last Report)

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Departure of

Directors or

Certain

Officers;

Election of

Directors;

Item 5.02 Appointment

of Certain

Officers;

Compensatory

Arrangements

of Certain

Officers.

(b) On July 7, 2016, LPL Financial Holdings Inc. (the "Company") was notified by Jeffrey R. Buchheister of his decision to leave the Company. Effective as of August 1, 2016, Mr. Buchheister will cease serving as the Company's principal accounting officer. Mr. Buchheister's decision is not the result of any disagreement with the Company regarding the Company's financial reporting or accounting policies, procedures, estimates or judgments. Effective upon Mr. Buchheister's departure, Matthew J. Audette, the Company's chief financial officer, will assume Mr. Buchheister's responsibilities as the Company's principal accounting officer.

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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.

LPL FINANCIAL HOLDINGS INC.

/s/

By: David P.

Bergers Name: David P.

David P Bergers Title:

General Counsel

Dated: July 13, 2016