

MARSH & MCLENNAN COMPANIES, INC.  
Form 8-K  
December 14, 2016

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 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) December 14, 2016

Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc.  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware 1-5998 36-2668272  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

1166 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10036  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code 212 345-5000

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

(d) On December 14, 2016, the board of directors (the “Board”) of Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc. (the “Company”) elected Deborah C. Hopkins as an independent member of the Board, effective January 1, 2017.

As a non-management director, Ms. Hopkins will be compensated as described in “Description of Compensation Arrangements for Independent Directors”, which was filed as Exhibit 10.6 to the Company’s Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2016.

A copy of the Company’s press release, dated December 14, 2016, announcing the election of Ms. Hopkins is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

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.

MARSH & McLENNAN COMPANIES, INC.

By: /s/ Carey Roberts

Name: Carey Roberts

Title: Deputy General Counsel, Chief Compliance Officer &  
Corporate Secretary

Date: December 14, 2016

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.    Exhibit

99.1 Press release issued by Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc. on December 14, 2016.

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