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CATERPILLAR INC Form 8-K June 12, 2013

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): June 12, 2013

CATERPILLAR INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-768 37-0602744

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

100 NE Adams Street, Peoria, Illinois 61629 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (309) 675-1000

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

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:

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)

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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On June 12, 2013, the Board of Directors of Caterpillar Inc. (the "Company") declared a quarterly cash dividend of sixty cents (\$0.60) per share of Company common stock, payable August 20, 2013 to stockholders of record at the close of business on July 22, 2013. The per share dividend of \$0.60 is an increase of eight cents from the previous quarterly dividend of \$0.52 per share. On the same date, the Company issued a press release announcing the dividend increase. A copy of the release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, is being furnished in accordance with the provisions of General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibits:

(d) The following is furnished as an exhibit to this report:

99.1 Caterpillar Inc. press release dated June 12, 2013

SIGNATURES

CATERPILLAR INC.

June 12, 2013 By: /s/James B. Buda

James B. Buda

Executive Vice President, Law and Public Policy