THERMO FISHER SCIENTIFIC INC. Form 8-K November 12, 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):

November 10, 2014

THERMO FISHER SCIENTIFIC INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of 1-8002 (Commission 04-2209186 (I.R.S. Employer

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incorporation or organization)

File Number)

Identification Number)

02451

(Zip Code)

81 Wyman Street

Waltham, Massachusetts (Address of principal executive offices)

(781) 622-1000

(Registrant s telephone number including area code)

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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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- " Pre-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.

(b) On November 10, 2014, Edward Pesicka, a named executive officer of Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc. (the Company), informed the Company of his decision to retire effective March 31, 2015. Mr. Pesicka became an executive officer of the Company in 2008 and is its Senior Vice President and Chief Commercial Officer.

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, on this 12th day of November, 2014.

THERMO FISHER SCIENTIFIC INC.

By: /s/ Seth H. Hoogasian Seth H. Hoogasian Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary