

NOVAGOLD RESOURCES INC  
Form 6-K  
March 18, 2013

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**Form 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**For the month of March, 2013**

**Commission File Number 001-31913**

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**NOVAGOLD RESOURCES INC.**

*(Translation of registrant's name into English)*

Suite 2300 – 200 Granville Street, PO Box 24  
Vancouver, BC Canada V6C 1S4  
*(Address of principal executive offices)*

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**SUBMITTED HEREWITH**

Exhibits

99.1 Notice of Annual General and Special Meeting Date and Record Date dated March 15, 2013

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**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, thereunto duly authorized.

**NOVAGOLD RESOURCES INC.**

(Registrant)

**Date:** March 15, 2013

By: /s/ David A. Ottewell

David A. Ottewell

Title: Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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