

BEST BUY CO INC
Form 8-K
March 03, 2015

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) March 3, 2015

BEST BUY CO., INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Minnesota (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | 1-9595 (Commission File Number) | 41-0907483 (IRS Employer Identification No.) |
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| 7601 Penn Avenue South Richfield, Minnesota (Address of principal executive offices) | 55423 (Zip Code) |
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code (612) 291-1000

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
 - 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 March 3, 2015, Best Buy Co., Inc. ("Best Buy" or the "registrant") announced the Board of Directors (the "Board") authorized a special, one-time dividend of \$0.51 per common share, or approximately \$180 million. The Board also authorized an increase in Best Buy's quarterly cash dividend to \$0.23 per common share, an increase of 21% compared with the existing quarterly dividend of \$0.19 per common share. The special cash dividend and the quarterly dividend will be payable on April 14, 2015, to shareholders of record as of March 24, 2015.

In addition, the registrant announced its intent to repurchase up to \$1 billion in common shares over three years under its existing \$5.0 billion share repurchase program, which was authorized by the Board in June 2011. As of March 3, 2015, \$4.0 billion remained available for share repurchases under the June 2011 program.

The new release issued on March 3, 2015, is furnished as Exhibit 99 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to liability of that Section unless the registrant specifically incorporates it by reference in a document filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Best Buy's Annual Report to Shareholders and its reports on Forms 10-K, 10-Q, and 8-K, and other publicly available information should be consulted for other important information about the registrant.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following is furnished as an Exhibit to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

| Exhibit No. | Description of Exhibit |
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| 99 | News release issued March 3, 2015. Any internet address provided in this release is for information purposes only and is not intended to be a hyperlink. Accordingly, no information at any internet address is included herein. |

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.

BEST BUY CO., INC.
(Registrant)

Date: March 3, 2015

By: /s/ KEITH J. NELSEN
Keith J. Nelsen
Executive Vice President, General Counsel and
Secretary