

LA-Z-BOY INC  
Form 8-K  
August 14, 2017

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549-1004

**FORM 8-K**

**Current Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**August 10, 2017**  
(Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported))

**LA-Z-BOY INCORPORATED**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**MICHIGAN**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**1-9656**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**38-0751137**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

**One La-Z-Boy Drive, Monroe, Michigan**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**48162-5138**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (734) 242-1444

**None**

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

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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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

(b) Resignation of Officer

Effective August 14, 2017, Margaret L. Mueller resigned as Chief Accounting Officer of La-Z-Boy Incorporated (the Company). Ms. Mueller, the Company's Vice President of Finance and Assistant Treasurer, remains with the Company through August 31, 2017. Ms. Mueller's resignation is not a result of any disagreement with the Company's independent auditors or any member of management on any matter of accounting principles or practices, financial statement disclosure or internal controls.

(c) Appointment of Officer

Effective August 14, 2017, La-Z-Boy Incorporated appointed current Vice President and Corporate Controller, Lindsay A. Barnes, to serve also as the Company's Chief Accounting Officer.

Ms. Barnes, 39, joined the Company in 2011 as Director of Financial Reporting and was promoted in January 2015 to Vice President and Corporate Controller. Prior to joining the Company, Ms. Barnes, a Certified Public Accountant, held various financial positions at Borders Group, Inc.

**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.

**LA-Z-BOY INCORPORATED**  
(Registrant)

Date: August 14, 2017

BY: /s/ Louis M. Riccio Jr.  
Louis M. Riccio Jr.  
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer