

Hilton Worldwide Holdings Inc.  
Form 8-K  
September 18, 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): September 15, 2015**

**Hilton Worldwide Holdings Inc.**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**

**of Incorporation)**

**001-36243**  
**(Commission**  
**File Number)**

**27-4384691**  
**(IRS Employer**  
**Identification No.)**

**7930 Jones Branch Drive, Suite 1100, McLean, Virginia 22102**

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**(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)**

**(703) 883-1000**

**(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)**

**Not Applicable**

**(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)**

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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.**

On September 15, 2015, Paula A. Kuykendall, Senior Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer, notified Hilton Worldwide Holdings Inc. (the Company) that she is resigning from the Company effective December 31, 2015. Michael W. Duffy, Senior Vice President and Corporate Controller, became the Company's Chief Accounting Officer effective September 16, 2015. Ms. Kuykendall's resignation is not the result of any disagreement with the Company.

Mr. Duffy, age 35, has been with the Company serving in Controller and Assistant Controller roles since 2009. Prior to his tenure with the Company, Mr. Duffy served as a Senior Manager at KPMG LLP providing audit services to real estate, construction and hospitality clients. He is a Certified Public Accountant, a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and a Chartered Global Management Accountant.

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

HILTON WORLDWIDE HOLDINGS INC.

By: /s/ Kevin J. Jacobs

Name: Kevin J. Jacobs

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer

Date: September 18, 2015