

GSE SYSTEMS INC  
Form 8-K  
December 14, 2016  
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

December 8, 2016  
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

GSE SYSTEMS, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware  | 001-14785                | 52-1868008                              |
| (State or other jurisdiction of<br>incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employer<br>Identification No.) |

1332 Londontown Blvd.,  
Sykesville, Maryland 21784  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(410) 970-7800  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable  
(Former name, former address, and former fiscal year, 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 December 8, 2016, at a regularly scheduled meeting of the board of directors (the "Board") of GSE Systems, Inc. (the "Company"), Dr. Roger Hagenruber advised the Board that he will not stand for reelection at the Company's annual meeting of stockholders to be held in 2017, in light of his desire to retire as a director at the end of his term.

S I G N A T U R E S

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.

GSE SYSTEMS, INC.

By: /s/ Daniel W. Pugh  
Daniel W. Pugh  
Secretary, Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Risk Management Officer

Date: December 14, 2016