

CHILDRENS PLACE RETAIL STORES INC

Form 8-K

September 20, 2012

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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): August 22, 2012

THE CHILDREN'S PLACE RETAIL STORES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

0-23071

31-1241495

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

500 Plaza Drive, Secaucus, New Jersey 07094

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(201) 558-2400

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(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 J40.13e-4(c))

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

Lori Tauber Marcus, the Company's Senior Vice President, Chief Marketing Officer, left the Company effective August 22, 2012.

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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.

Date: September 20, 2012

THE CHILDREN'S PLACE RETAIL
STORES, INC.

By: /s/ Jane Elfers

Name: Jane Elfers

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer