

STEIN MART INC  
Form 8-K  
April 23, 2008

**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**

April 18, 2008

(Date of Report; Date of Earliest Event Reported)

**STEIN MART, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Florida**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction)

**0-20052**  
(Commission File Number)

**64-0466198**  
(IRS Employer)

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of Incorporation)

Identification No.)

**1200 Riverplace Blvd., Jacksonville, Florida 32207**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices Including Zip Code)

**(904) 346-1500**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  
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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**

(b) On April 18, 2008 the registrant received a letter from J. Wayne Weaver indicating his retirement from the Company's Board of Directors. Mr. Weaver, a board member since 2001 stated his being over 72 years of age as his reason for retirement from the Board of Directors. Stein Mart's Corporate Governance Guidelines provide that the Corporate Governance Committee shall consider whether a non-management director should stand for re-election at the next annual stockholders' meeting following the occurrence of certain events, including that director's reaching 72 years of age.

**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.

STEIN MART, INC.  
(Registrant)

Dated: April 23, 2008

By: /s/ James G. Delfs  
James G. Delfs  
Senior Vice President, Finance and  
Chief Financial Officer