MCDONALDS CORP Form 8-K September 24, 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): September 20, 2012

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#### McDONALD'S CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 1-5231 (Commission File Number) 36-2361282 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

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One McDonald's Plaza
Oak Brook, Illinois
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

60523 (Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code): (630) 623-3000

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Not Applicable

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

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):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act  $(17\ CFR\ 240.13e-4(c))$ 

### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On September 20, 2012, McDonald's Corporation issued an Investor Release announcing that on the same day the Board of Directors declared a quarterly cash dividend. A copy of the Investor Release is attached as Exhibit 99 to this Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- Investor Release of McDonald's Corporation issued September 20, 2012:McDonald's Raises Quarterly Cash Dividend by 10%

### **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.

### McDONALD'S CORPORATION

(Registrant)

Date: September 24, 2012 By: /s/ Denise A. Horne

Denise A. Horne

Corporate Vice President -

Associate General Counsel and Assistant

Secretary

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Exhibit No. 99 Investor Release of McDonald's Corporation issued September 20, 2012: McDonald's Raises Quarterly Cash Dividend by 10%