

ASTEC INDUSTRIES INC  
Form 8-K  
May 11, 2012

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): May 11, 2012

Astec Industries, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Tennessee  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

001-11595  
(Commission File Number)

62-0873631  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

1725 Shepherd Road  
Chattanooga, Tennessee 37421  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (423) 899-5898

N/A  
(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 8.01. Other Events.

Astec Industries, Inc. (the "Company") regrets to report that Dr. J. Don Brock, the Chairman of the Company's Board of Directors and the Company's Chief Executive Officer and President, has been diagnosed with mesothelioma and will begin treatment.

As a result, it is anticipated that Dr. Brock's availability to devote time to the Company's business will be reduced during the immediate future. W. Norman Smith, one of the Co-Founders of Astec Industries, Inc. and Corporate Group Vice President and the other members of the executive management team will continue with the day-to-day operation of the Company's business during such period.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: May 11, 2012

ASTEC INDUSTRIES, INC.

By:/s/ Stephen C. Anderson  
Stephen C. Anderson  
Vice President and Secretary