

CHAMPION INDUSTRIES INC  
Form 15-12G  
July 28, 2016

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 15

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CERTIFICATION AND NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF REGISTRATION UNDER SECTION 12(g) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 OR SUSPENSION OF DUTY TO FILE REPORTS UNDER SECTIONS  
13 AND 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Commission No. 000-21084

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Champion Industries, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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2450-90 1st Avenue  
P.O. Box 2968  
Huntington, WV 25728  
(304) 528-2700

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code of registrant's principal executive offices)

Common Stock, Par Value \$1.00 Per Share  
(Title of each class of securities covered by this Form)

None

(Title of all other classes of securities for which a duty to file reports under 13(a) or 15(d) remains)

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Please place an X in the box(es) to designate the appropriate rule provision(s) relied upon to terminate or suspend the duty to file reports:

- Rule 12g-4(a)(1)
- Rule 12g-4(a)(2)
- Rule 12h-3(b)(1)(i)
- Rule 12h-3(b)(1)(ii)

Rule 15d-6

Approximate number of holders of record as of the certification or notice date: 213

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Champion Industries, Inc. has caused this certification/notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized person.

Date: July 28, 2016

Champion Industries, Inc.

By: /s/ Justin T. Evans  
Justin T. Evans  
Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

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