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STAGE STORES INC

Form 8-K May 31, 2013

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

May 28, 2013

(Date of Report, Date of Earliest Event Reported)

Stage Stores, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

1-14035

(Commission File Number)

NEVADA 91-1826900

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

10201 Main Street, Houston, Texas 77025 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(800) 579-2302

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

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

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Item 8.01 Other Events

On May 28, 2013, Stage Stores, Inc. (the "Company") determined that the termination payments made to Andrew Hall, the Company's former President and Chief Executive Officer, in Fiscal 2012 under the terms of a Separation Agreement were not included in the Summary Compensation Table in the proxy materials for the Company's 2013 Annual Meeting of Shareholders, which will be held on June 13, 2013, because (i) the approximate value of the entire Separation Agreement had already been disclosed in the proxy materials and (ii) the payments were made after Mr. Hall's employment with the Company ended.

The Company has filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission and is also making available additional proxy materials to correct the previous disclosures with respect to Mr. Hall's Fiscal 2012 compensation contained in the original proxy materials that were previously sent to the shareholders for the Company's 2013 Annual Meeting of Shareholders. A copy of those additional proxy materials is attached to this Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.

Item 9.01

Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99 Additional Proxy Materials for the 2013 Annual Meeting of Shareholders to be held on June 13, 2013.

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.

STAGE STORES, INC.

May 31, 2013 /s/ Oded Shein

(Date) Oded Shein

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer