SPIRE Corp Form 8-K August 25, 2016 **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): August 19, 2016

SPIRE CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Massachusetts

0-12742 04-2457335 (Commission (IRS Employer ion) File Number) Identification No.)

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

25 Linnell Circle, Billerica, Massachusetts01821-3928(Address of Principal Executive Offices)(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (978) 584-3958

Not Applicable (Former name or 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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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On August 19, 2016, the Board of Directors of Spire Corporation notified Rodger W. LaFavre that he was released as CEO and as an employee of Spire Corporation, effective August 26, 2016.

On August 20, 2016, Udo Henseler resigned from the Board of Directors of Spire Corporation, effective immediately.

SIGNATURE

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.

SPIRE CORPORATION

August 25, 2016 By:/s/ Rodger W. LaFavre Rodger W. LaFavre Chief Executive Officer and President