CHAMPION INDUSTRIES INC Form 8-K December 17, 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) December 17, 2012

Champion Industries, Inc.			
	(Exact Name of Registrar	nt as Specified in Its Charter)	
	West	Virginia	
	(State or Other Juriso	liction of Incorporation)	
	000-21084	55-0717455	
	(Commission File No.)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)	
2450 First Avenue P. O. Box 2968 Huntington, West Virginia			25728
(Address of Principal Exec	cutive Offices)		(Zip Code)
	(304)	528-2700	
	(Registrant's Telephone N	umber, Including Area Code)	
	Not A	pplicable	

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

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INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(b) On December 17, 2012, J. Mac Aldridge retired as Senior Vice President of Champion Industries, Inc., 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.

Date: December, 17, 2012	CHAMPION INDUSTRIES, INC.	
	(Registrant)	
	/s/ Todd R. Fry	
	Todd R. Fry, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	

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