WELLPOINT, INC Form 8-K April 30, 2014

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): April 30, 2014 (April 25, 2014)

WELLPOINT, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Indiana (State or other jurisdiction 001-16751 (Commission 35-2145715 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number) 120 Monument Circle **Identification No.)**

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Indianapolis, IN 46204

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (317) 488-6000

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))

Section 5 Corporate Governance and Management

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

Richard C. Zoretic, Executive Vice President, Government Business Division of WellPoint, Inc. (the Company), notified the Company on April 25, 2014 that he will be retiring effective as of May 31, 2014. Mr. Zoretic s retirement is due to personal reasons and not due to any disagreement or dispute with the Company. Mr. Zoretic will be replaced by Peter Haytaian, the Company s President of Medicaid Business.

A copy of the Company s press release announcing Mr. Zoretic s retirement and Mr. Haytaian s appointment is furnished with this report as Exhibit 99.1.

Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is being furnished herewith:

Exhibit No.Exhibit99.1Press Release dated April 30, 2014.

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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.

Dated: April 30, 2014

WELLPOINT, INC.

By: /s/ Kathleen S. Kiefer Name: Kathleen S. Kiefer Title: Corporate Secretary

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Exhibit

99.1 Press Release dated April 30, 2014.

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