

FIVE BELOW, INC  
Form 8-K  
December 03, 2015

**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 3, 2015**

**FIVE BELOW, INC.**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)**

**Pennsylvania**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**  
  
**of Incorporation)**

**001-35600**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**  
**1818 Market Street**

**75-3000378**  
**(IRS Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

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**Suite 2000**

**Philadelphia, PA 19103**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (215) 546-7909**

**Not applicable**

**(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:

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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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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.**

**Election of a New Director**

On December 3, 2015, the Board of Directors (the *Board*) of Five Below, Inc. (the *Company*) appointed Daniel J. Kaufman as a Class III director, upon the recommendation of its Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee (the *Nominating Committee*), effective immediately, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of David Schlessinger. Subject to his nomination and election at the 2016 annual meeting of shareholders, Mr. Kaufman will serve the remainder of the Class III term which expires at the 2018 annual meeting of shareholders. The Board also appointed Mr. Kaufman to be a member of both the Audit Committee and the Nominating Committee.

The Board determined that Mr. Kaufman qualifies as an independent director under the director independence standards set forth in the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the *SEC*) and the applicable listing standards of The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC (the *Nasdaq Rules*). Mr. Kaufman also satisfies the other requirements for Audit Committee members under the rules and regulations of the SEC and the Nasdaq Rules.

Mr. Kaufman will be entitled to compensation under the Company's Compensation Policy for Non-Employee Directors. Mr. Kaufman has no arrangement or understanding with any other persons pursuant to which he was selected as a director. There are no transactions in which Mr. Kaufman has an interest requiring disclosure under Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

**Resignation of Director**

On December 3, 2015, David Schlessinger resigned as both a member of the Board and as Chairman Emeritus. The resignation was not a result of any disagreement with the Company.

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On December 3, 2015, the Company issued a press release announcing the resignation of David Schlessinger from the Board and a press release announcing the appointment of Daniel J. Kaufman to the Board. A copy of each press release is attached hereto as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2, respectively, and is incorporated in this Item 8.01 by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) **Exhibits**

- 99.1 Press Release dated December 3, 2015 announcing the resignation of David Schlessinger.
- 99.2 Press Release dated December 3, 2015 announcing the appointment of Daniel J. Kaufman.

**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.

Date: December 3, 2015

By: /s/ Kenneth R. Bull

Name: Kenneth R. Bull

Title: Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

| <b>Exhibit<br/>No.</b> | <b>Description</b>   |
|------------------------|--|
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| 99.2                   | Press Release dated December 3, 2015 announcing the appointment of Daniel J. Kaufman.  |