OMNOVA SOLUTIONS INC Form 8-K August 26, 2008

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 26, 2008

OMNOVA SOLUTIONS INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Ohio (State or Other Jurisdiction

1-15147 (Commission File Number) 34-1897652 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

Identification No.)

175 Ghent Road Fairlawn, Ohio

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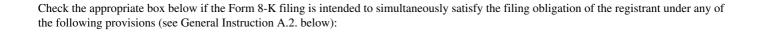
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(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (330) 869-4200

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)



- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " 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

(b) On August 20, 2008, Dr. R. Byron Pipes notified the Company that he will retire from his position as a member of the Board of Directors and its Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee immediately following the conclusion of the Company s next Board meeting on September 11, 2008. Dr. Pipes decision to retire was based on personal reasons and was not the result of any disagreement with the Company.

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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.

OMNOVA SOLUTIONS INC.

By: /s/ Kristine C. Syrvalin Name: Kristine C. Syrvalin

Title: Secretary
Date: August 26, 2008