STEIN MART INC Form 8-K August 22, 2013

# 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

August 22, 2013

(Date of Report; Date of Earliest Event Reported)

# STEIN MART, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Florida (State or Other Jurisdiction 0-20052 (Commission 64-0466198 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

# File Number) 1200 Riverplace Blvd., Jacksonville, Florida 32207

Identification No.)

(Address of Principal Executive Offices Including Zip Code)

(904) 346-1500

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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):

- " 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))

#### ITEM 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On August 22, 2013, Stein Mart, Inc. issued a press release, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 99.1, that includes financial results for the quarterly period and six months ended August 3, 2013.

#### ITEM 8.01 OTHER MATTERS

On July 24, 2013, the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) informed the Company that it was conducting an investigation of the Company and made a request for voluntary production of documents and information. Based upon the request, the Company believes the investigation is focused on the Company s recent restatement of prior financial statements and the Company s change in auditors. The Company is cooperating fully with the SEC in this matter.

#### ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated August 22, 2013.

#### **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.

STEIN MART, INC. (Registrant)

Date: August 22, 2013 By: /s/ Gregory W. Kleffner

Gregory W. Kleffner

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

### EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 Press Release dated August 22, 2013.