

GENESEE & WYOMING INC  
Form 8-K  
September 22, 2011

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**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): 09/20/2011**

**Genesee & Wyoming Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Commission File Number: 001-31456**

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**06-0984624**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**66 Field Point Road**  
Greenwich, CT 06830  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**203-629-3722**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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**

On September 20, 2011, Mr. David Hurley, a director of Genesee & Wyoming Inc., notified the Company that he intends to retire from the Board of Directors of the Company at the next annual general meeting of stockholders in May 2012, which coincides with the end of Mr. Hurley's term. Mr. Hurley has been a director of Genesee & Wyoming Inc. since 2005.

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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.

Genesee & Wyoming Inc.

Date: September 22, 2011

By: /s/ Allison M. Fergus

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Allison M. Fergus  
General Counsel and Secretary