

CALLAWAY GOLF CO  
Form 8-K  
May 11, 2012

**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): May 8, 2012

**CALLAWAY GOLF COMPANY**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**1-10962**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**95-3797580**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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2180 RUTHERFORD ROAD,  
CARLSBAD, CALIFORNIA  
(Address of principal executive offices)  
(760) 931-1771

92008-7328  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

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:

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. 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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

(b) On May 8, 2012, pursuant to Section 7(c)(ii) of his Officer Employment Agreement, dated May 1, 2011, Steven C. McCracken resigned, effective May 15, 2012, from his position as Senior Executive Vice President and Chief Administrative Officer of Callaway Golf Company.

**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.

Date: May 11, 2012

**CALLAWAY GOLF COMPANY**

By: /s/ Brian P. Lynch

Name: Brian P. Lynch

Title: Vice President and Corporate Secretary