IVANHOE ENERGY IN	$\mathbb{C}$
Form 8-K	
January 21, 2015	

### 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): January 18, 2015

### IVANHOE ENERGY INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Yukon, Canada 000-30586 98-0372413

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

Suite 654 – 999 Canada Place Vancouver, BC, Canada V6C 3E1

(Address of Principal Executive Office) (Zip Code) (604) 688-8323

(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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14A-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02	Departure of Director	rs or Certain Officer	s; Election o	of Directors;	Appointment of	f Certain (	Officers;
<b>Compens</b>	atory Arrangements of	f Certain Officers.					

On January 18, 2015, Mr. Robert A. Pirraglia resigned as a member of the Board of Directors of Ivanhoe Energy Inc. (the "Company"). The Company accepted Mr. Pirraglia's resignation, which is effective as of January 18, 2015. Mr. Pirraglia did not resign because of any disagreement with the Company on any matter relating to the Company's operations, policies, or practices.

On January 19, 2015, the Company issued a press release reporting the resignation of Mr. Pirraglia from the Company's Board of Directors. A copy of this press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits
  - 99.1 Press Release dated January 19, 2015

### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report on Form 8-K to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: January 21, 2015

### IVANHOE ENERGY INC.

By:

"William Parry"
Name: William Parry

Title: Senior Vice President and General Counsel

# **Exhibit Index**

# **Exhibit Number Exhibit Title or Description**

99.1 Press Release dated January 19, 2015