

ARBITRON INC  
Form 8-K  
April 11, 2012

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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):

April 11, 2012

Arbitron Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

1-1969

52-0278528

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

9705 Patuxent Woods Drive, Columbia,  
Maryland

21046

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

410-312-8000

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))



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**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On April 11, 2012, Arbitron Inc. (the "Company") announced Richard J. Surratt will be leaving the Company. He will remain Chief Financial Officer through May 11, 2012, and will remain an employee of the Company through June 8, 2012. Sean R. Creamer, the Company's Chief Operating Officer, will serve as interim Chief Financial Officer effective May 11, 2012 until the Company appoints a new Chief Financial Officer

A copy of the press release announcing the departure of the Company's Chief Financial Officer is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release of Arbitron Inc. dated April 11, 2012

The information in Item 7.01 of this Form 8-K and attached Exhibit shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

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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.

Arbitron Inc.

*April 11, 2012*

By: */s/ Timothy T. Smith*

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*Name: Timothy T. Smith  
Title: Executive Vice President, Business Development and  
Strategy, Chief Legal Officer, and Secretary*

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<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
99.1	Press Release of Arbitron Inc. dated April 11, 2012