Applied Minerals, Inc. Form 8-K April 19, 2010

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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):

Commission File Number

000-31380

April 16, 2010

APPLIED MINERALS, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Idaho (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 82-0096527

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

110 Greene Street – Suite 1101, New York, NY (Address of principal executive offices) 10012 (Zip Code)

(800) 356-6463 (Issuer's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(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))

Item 5.02

Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers Morris D. Weiss, 50, resigned from the Board of Directors of the Company, and any committees of the Board of Directors, effective April 16, 2010. The resignation is not the result of any disagreement

with either the Board of Directors or management of the Company.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press release issued on April 19, 2010 related to the resignation of Morris Weiss from the Board of Directors of the Company.

SIGNATURES

In accordance with 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 thereunto duly authorized.

APPLIED MINERALS, INC.

Dated: April 19, 2010

/s/ ANDRE ZEITOUN By: Andre Zeitoun Chief Executive Officer