

CME GROUP INC.  
Form 8-K  
August 27, 2014

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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):

August 25, 2014

CME Group Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

001-31553

(Commission  
File Number)

36-4459170

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

20 South Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois

(Address of principal executive offices)

60606

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

312-930-1000

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 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.**

As described in the attached press release, CME Group Inc. (the "Company") announced that James E. Parisi, its Senior Managing Director and Chief Financial Officer, informed the Company that he plans to retire from his position as Chief Financial Officer.

Upon Mr. Parisi's retirement, John W. Pietrowicz will assume the role of Chief Financial Officer.

Mr. Pietrowicz, 50, has served as the Company's Senior Managing Director, Business Development and Corporate Finance since 2010. He joined the organization in 2003 and since then has held various positions of increasing responsibility, including his most recent position of Managing Director and Deputy Chief Financial Officer from 2009 to 2010 and Managing Director, Corporate Finance and Treasury from 2006 to 2009.

Upon his assumption of the role of Chief Financial Officer, we expect Mr. Pietrowicz will participate in the Company's compensation program upon terms commensurate with other executive officers of the Company at the level of Senior Managing Director.

There are no family relationships existing between Mr. Pietrowicz and any executive officer or director of the Company. There have been no transactions, and no transactions are currently proposed, in which the Company was or is to be a participant and in which Mr. Pietrowicz or any member of his immediate family had or will have an interest.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Press Release, dated August 27, 2014.

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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.

CME Group Inc.

*August 27, 2014*

By: *Kathleen M. Cronin*

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*Name: Kathleen M. Cronin*

*Title: Senior Managing Director, General Counsel &  
Corporate Secretary*

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<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release, dated August 27, 2014.