

PROASSURANCE CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 09, 2017

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): March 9, 2017  
ProAssurance Corporation  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware                      001-16533                      63-1261433  
(State of Incorporation) (Commission File No.) (IRS Employer I.D. No.)

100 Brookwood Place, Birmingham, Alabama 35209  
(Address of Principal Executive Office )              (Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (205) 877-4400

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 (17CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-(c) under the Exchange Act (17CFR 240.13e-(c))

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Kelly B. Brewer, the current Chief Accounting Officer and a Group Vice President of ProAssurance Corporation (b) will become Senior Vice President - Operations, Information and Data Management of the Healthcare Professional Liability Group within ProAssurance. The date of her transition is to be determined.

(c) Upon the date of Ms. Brewer's transition to her new role, our current Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, Edward L. Rand, Jr., will assume additional duties as Chief Accounting Officer.

**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: March 9, 2017

PROASSURANCE CORPORATION

by: /s/ Frank B. O'Neil

Frank B. O'Neil

Senior Vice-President