PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC Form 8-K May 13, 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): May 13, 2015

## PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-16725 (Commission File Number) **42-1520346** (IRS Employer Identification No.)

**711 High Street, Des Moines, Iowa** (Address of principal executive offices)

**50392** (Zip Code)

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	(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)
	(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)
Check the foll	the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of owing provisions:
o	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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o	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	Item	7.01	Regulation	FD	Disclosure
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On May 13, 2015, Principal Financial Group, Inc. issued a press release announcing that it had issued notices to redeem all outstanding shares of its 5.563% Series A Non-Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock (OTC: PFGZP, CUSIP No. 74251V201) (Series A Preferred Stock) and all outstanding shares of its 6.518% Series B Non-Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock (NYSE: PFG-B, CUSIP No. 74251V300) (Series B Preferred Stock). A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

This Current Report on Form 8-K does not constitute a notice of redemption under the certificates of designation governing the Series A Preferred Stock and Series B Preferred Stock.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release of Principal Financial Group, Inc.

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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.

#### PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.

Date: May 13, 2015 By: /s/ Terrance J. Lillis
Terrance J. Lillis

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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