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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 8, 2013

J. C. PENNEY COMPANY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

26-0037077

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File No.)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
6501 Legacy Drive Plano, Texas		75024-3698
(Address of principal executive of	(Zip code)	
Registrant's telephone number, inc	luding area code: (972) 431-1	1000

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On August 8, 2013, J. C. Penney Company, Inc. issued a press release. A copy of this press release is filed under this report as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibit 99.1 J. C. Penney Company, Inc. News Release issued August 8, 2013

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.

J. C. PENNEY COMPANY, INC.

By: /s/ Kenneth Hannah Kenneth Hannah Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: August 8, 2013

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number Description

99.1 J. C. Penney Company, Inc. News Release issued August 8, 2013