

ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/  
Form 8-K  
October 24, 2018

**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): October 23, 2018

**ABM Industries Incorporated**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<b>Delaware</b> (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	<b>1-8929</b> (Commission File Number)	<b>94-1369354</b> (IRS Employer Identification No.)
--	--	--

<b>One Liberty Plaza, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor</b> <b>New York, New York</b> (Address of principal executive offices)	<b>10006</b> (Zip Code)
---	----------------------------

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(212) 297-0200**

**N/A**

(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)

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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

On October 23, 2018, the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of ABM Industries Incorporated (the “Company” or “ABM”), acting upon the recommendation of its Governance Committee, elected LeighAnne G. Baker as a director, effective immediately. Concurrently with this addition to the Board, the Board approved a resolution increasing the size of the board from eleven to twelve directors. Ms. Baker has been named to the class of directors that has its term expiring at the 2019 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. Ms. Baker has not yet been appointed to a Committee of the Board.

Ms. Baker’s cash and equity compensation arrangements as a director will be the same as those previously reported for other non-employee directors. As a non-employee director, Ms. Baker will also be entitled to a pro-rated portion of the applicable annual restricted stock unit grant and applicable board and committee fees. In addition, the Company intends to enter into its standard form of indemnification agreement with Ms. Baker.

A copy of the press release announcing the election of Ms. Baker as a director is attached as exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d)Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
<u>99.1</u>	<u>Press release dated October 24, 2018, announcing the election of LeighAnne G. Baker as a director.</u>

**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.

ABM INDUSTRIES  
INCORPORATED

Dated: October 24, 2018 By: /s/ Andrea R. Newborn  
Andrea R. Newborn  
Executive Vice  
President, General  
Counsel and Corporate  
Secretary