

STEEL DYNAMICS INC  
Form 8-K  
December 19, 2012

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

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**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) **December 19, 2012 (December 17, 2012)**

**STEEL DYNAMICS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**0-21719**  
(Commission File Number)

**35-1929476**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**7575 West Jefferson Blvd, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46804**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **260-969-3500**

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**Not Applicable**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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 8.01. Other Events.**

On December 17, 2012, Steel Dynamics, Inc. issued a press release titled "Steel Dynamics Provides Fourth Quarter 2012 Earnings Guidance and Announces Fourth Quarter Cash Dividends." The full text of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1954, as amended, and shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document filed pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is furnished with this report:

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	A press release dated December 17, 2012, titled "Steel Dynamics Provides Fourth Quarter 2012 Earnings Guidance and Announces Fourth Quarter Cash Dividends."

**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 hereto duly authorized.

STEEL DYNAMICS, INC.

/s/Theresa E. Wagler

By: Theresa E. Wagler

Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: December 19, 2012