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: March 20, 2012)

PDI, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE 0-24249 22-2919486

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

Morris Corporate Center 1, Building A 300 Interpace Parkway, Parsippany, NJ 07054 (Address of principal executive offices and zip Code)

(862) 207-7800 Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

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

Item 5.02 DEPARTURE OF DIRECTORS OR CERTAIN OFFICERS; ELECTION OF DIRECTORS; APPOINTMENT OF CERTAIN OFFICERS; COMPENSATORY ARRANGEMENT OF CERTAIN OFFICERS.

Frank J. Ryan has informed PDI, Inc. that he will be retiring as a Class II director of PDI, effective May 28, 2012, and will not be standing for re-election to the Board of Directors at the Annual Stockholders Meeting of PDI to be held on June 5, 2012.

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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.

PDI, INC.

By: /s/ Jeffrey Smith
Jeffrey Smith
Chief Financial Officer

Date: March 20, 2012