

ARGAN INC  
Form 8-K  
August 21, 2015

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

WASHINGTON, D.C. 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): **August 20, 2015**

**ARGAN, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**001-31756**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**13-1947195**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**One Church Street, Suite 201, Rockville, MD**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**20850**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(301) 315-0027**

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**Not Applicable**

(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:

- 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 8.01. Other Events.**

On August 20, 2015, Argan, Inc. ( Argan ) issued a press release announcing that its wholly-owned subsidiary, Gemma Power Systems ( GPS ), has entered into separate contracts with NTE Ohio, LLC and NTE Carolinas, LLC, each affiliates of NTE Energy, and has received interim notices to proceed to commence early activities for the engineering, procurement and construction of two 475 MW, state-of-the-art, combined cycle natural gas-fired power plants. The projects are located in Middletown, Ohio, and Kings Mountain, North Carolina. The combined value of the contracts is approximately \$550 million and both projects have expected completion dates in the spring of 2018.

A copy of Argan s press release is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

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

(d) Exhibits

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release issued by Argan on August 20, 2015.

**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.

ARGAN, INC.

Date: August 21, 2015

By:

/s/ Cynthia A. Flanders  
Cynthia A. Flanders  
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and  
Secretary

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