LEGGETT & PLATT INC Form 8-K September 15, 2011

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) September 12, 2011

LEGGETT & PLATT, INCORPORATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Missouri (State or other jurisdiction 001-07845 (Commission 44-0324630 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

of incorporation)

File Number)

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64836

(Zip Code)

No. 1 Leggett Road, Carthage, MO (Address of principal executive offices) Registrant s telephone number, including area code 417-358-8131

N/A

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

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

On September 12, 2011, Paul R. Hauser, the Company s Senior Vice President, President - Residential Furnishings Segment and a named executive officer, notified the Company of his decision to retire effective February 18, 2012.

As part of the Company s succession planning, Perry E. Davis, currently the Company s Vice President, President - Bedding Group, will assume Mr. Hauser s duties and be promoted to Senior Vice President and President of the Company s Residential Furnishings Segment also effective February 18, 2012. Mr. Davis, 52, was appointed Vice President, President - Bedding Group in 2006 and has served the Company in various other capacities since 1981.

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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.

LEGGETT & PLATT, INCORPORATED

Date: September 15, 2011 By: /s/ JOHN G. MOORE

John G. Moore

Senior Vice President, Chief Legal & HR Officer and Secretary