SUPERIOR INDUSTRIES INTERNATIONAL INC

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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 2, 2009

SUPERIOR INDUSTRIES INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

California (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-6615

95-2594729

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

7800 Woodley Avenue

91406

Van Nuys, California

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (818) 781-4973

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 October 2, 2009, Erika H. Turner, the Chief Financial Officer of Superior Industries International, Inc. (the "company") resigned as Chief Financial Officer of the company, effective October 23, 2009. Emil ("Bud") Fanelli, Vice President and Corporate Controller since 1997, will take over as interim Chief Financial Officer pending the recruitment of a permanent successor.

A copy of the press release on October 7, 2009 regarding the above resignation is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this current report and is incorporated herein by this reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated October 7, 2009, issued by Superior Industries International, Inc.

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.

SUPERIOR INDUSTRIES INTERNATIONAL, INC. (Registrant)

Date: October 7, 2009

/s/ Robert A. Earnest Robert A. Earnest Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary