RITE AID CORP Form 8-K February 14, 2012

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):

February 14, 2012

Rite Aid Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction

1-5742 (Commission File Number) **23-1614034** (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

Identification Number)

30 Hunter Lane, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania 17011

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(717) 761-2633

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):				
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o	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))			
0	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))			

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On February 14, 2012, Rite Aid Corporation (the Company) announced the commencement of a cash tender offer (the Tender Offer) for any and all of its 8.625% Senior Notes due 2015 (CUSIP No. 767754BM5) (the Notes). As part of the Tender Offer, the Company is soliciting consents (the Consent Solicitation) from the holders of the Notes for certain proposed amendments that would eliminate or modify certain restrictive covenants and events of default and other provisions contained in the indenture governing the Notes. In addition, the Company expects to call any Notes that remain outstanding for redemption in accordance with their terms. A copy of the press release announcing the Tender Offer and Consent Solicitation, and which describes the Tender Offer and Consent Solicitation in greater detail, is hereby incorporated by reference and attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item	9.01	Financ	ial S	Statements	and Exhib	nite

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release announcing the Tender Offer and Consent Solicitation, dated February 14, 2012.

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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.

RITE AID CORPORATION

Dated: February 14, 2012 By: /s/ Marc A. Strassler

Name: Marc A. Strassler

Title: Executive Vice President,

General Counsel and Secretary

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