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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): May 23, 2016 (May 22, 2016)

AMERICAN CAPITAL AGENCY CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

001-34057 Delaware 26-1701984

(I.R.S. Employer (State or Other Jurisdiction of

Incorporation or Organization) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2 Bethesda Metro Center, 14th Floor

Bethesda, Maryland 20814

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(301) 968-9300

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 May 22, 2016, Robert M. Couch, Randy E. Dobbs, John R. Erickson, Samuel A. Flax and Alvin N. Puryear resigned from the board of directors (the "Board") of American Capital Agency Corp. (the "Company"), effective immediately. The Board appointed Prue B. Larocca, who is currently an independent member of the Board, to serve as Chair of the Board, effective immediately.

Item 8.01. Other Events

On May 23, 2016, the Company issued a press release announcing that it had entered into a Purchase and Sale Agreement (the "Purchase Agreement") with American Capital, Ltd., a Delaware corporation, American Capital Asset Management, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly-owned subsidiary of ACAS ("Seller"), and American Capital Mortgage Management, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly owned subsidiary of Seller ("ACMM"), pursuant to which, subject to the satisfaction of certain conditions, the Company will purchase from Seller all of the issued and outstanding limited liability company interests of ACMM on a cash-free, debt-free basis for aggregate cash consideration of \$562 million (the "Transaction").

The press release announcing the Transaction also serves to announce the foregoing changes to the Company's Board described under Item 5.02.

A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto. Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits (d) Exhibits Exhibit No Description 99.1 Press Release, dated May 23, 2016

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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.

AMERICAN CAPITAL AGENCY CORP.

Dated: May 23, 2016 By: /s/ Samuel A. Flax

Samuel A. Flax

Executive Vice President and Secretary