

GARDNER DENVER INC  
Form 8-K  
March 30, 2010

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 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) March 29, 2010**

**Gardner Denver, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

1-13215

76-0419383

(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

1800 Gardner Expressway  
Quincy, Illinois

62305

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

(217) 222-5400

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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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.**

(b) On March 30, 2010, Gardner Denver, Inc. (the Company ) announced the retirement of Mr. J. Dennis Shull, Executive Vice President and President of the Industrial Products Group of the Company, effective June 1, 2010, after 35 years of service to the Company. The Company expects to complete the transition of Mr. Shull s responsibilities to his successor prior to Mr. Shull s retirement in June.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

**GARDNER DENVER, INC.**

Date: March 30, 2010

By: /s/ Brent A. Walters  
Brent A. Walters  
Vice President, General Counsel,  
Chief Compliance Officer & Secretary

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