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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**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 10, 2015**

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**ENCORE CAPITAL GROUP, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**000-26489**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**48-1090909**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**3111 Camino Del Rio North, Suite 103, San Diego, California**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**92108**  
(Zip Code)

**(877) 445-4581**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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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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  - 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 10, 2015 Mr. J. Christopher Teets notified Encore Capital Group, Inc. (the “*Company*”) that he will not stand for re-election as a director at the Company’s 2015 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the “*Annual Meeting*”). Mr. Teets has served as a director of the Company since May 2007, and his term on the Company’s board of directors will end on the date of the Annual Meeting. Mr. Teets’ decision to not stand for re-election is not due to any disagreement with the Company.

**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.

ENCORE CAPITAL GROUP, INC.

Date: March 13, 2015

/s/ Greg Call

Greg Call

Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary