

CASELLA WASTE SYSTEMS INC  
Form 8-K  
January 28, 2013

**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): January 25, 2013

**Casella Waste Systems, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation

**000-23211**  
(Commission

File Number)

**03-0338873**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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**25 Greens Hill Lane**

**Rutland, Vermont**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**05701**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (802) 775-0325**

**Not applicable**

**(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):

- .. 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))

**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On January 25, 2013, Casella Waste Systems, Inc. (the Company) announced that Christopher Heald, age 48, was appointed Vice President of Finance and Chief Accounting Officer of the Company, effective January 23, 2013. Mr. Heald has served as the Company's Director of Financial Reporting and Analysis since July 2010, and he served as the Company's Accounting Manager from 2002 to July 2010.

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.

Casella Waste Systems, Inc.

Date: January 25, 2013

By: /s/ Edmond R. Coletta  
Edmond R. Coletta

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer