
**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): October 22, 2010

BRADY CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Wisconsin

(State or other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation)

1-14959

(Commission File Number)

39-0971239

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**6555 West Good Hope Road
Milwaukee, Wisconsin**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

53223

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(414) 358-6600**

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:

- ☐ 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 October 22, 2010, Brady Corporation (the “Company”) announced that Allan J. Klotsche was named Senior Vice President – Human Resources, effective immediately. Mr. Klotsche joined the Company in 1988 and has held a variety of leadership positions at the Company. Mr. Klotsche currently serves as President-Brady Asia-Pacific and will continue in that position until a successor is found.

A copy of the press release announcing Mr. Klotsche as the Company’s Senior Vice President – Human Resources is being provided to the Securities and Exchange Commission as Exhibit 99.1 attached herewith and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits.

The following is filed as an Exhibit to this Report.

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description of Exhibit</u>
99.1	Press Release of Brady Corporation, dated October 22, 2010, announcing Allan J. Klotsche as the Company’s Senior Vice President – Human Resources.

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.

BRADY CORPORATION

Date: October 26, 2010

/s/ Thomas J. Felmer
Thomas J. Felmer
Senior Vice President &
Chief Financial Officer

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Brady Corporation names Allan J. Klotsche Senior Vice President – Human Resources

MILWAUKEE (October 22, 2010)—Brady Corporation (NYSE:BRC), a world leader in identification solutions, announced today that Allan J. Klotsche has been named Senior Vice President — Human Resources, effective immediately. Klotsche, 45, currently serves as President — Brady Asia-Pacific. In addition to his new role, he will continue to lead Brady’s business in Asia-Pacific until a successor is found.

Klotsche joined Brady in 1988 and has held a variety of leadership positions at the company. From 1996 to the present, he worked primarily to build Brady’s business in Asia, taking the region from less than ten percent of Brady’s total sales and about 200 employees, to about one-third of Brady sales with more than 3,000 employees. Klotsche also serves as the President of the Brady Corporation Foundation. He holds a bachelor’s degree in marketing and a master’s of business administration degree, both from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

“The development of our people is crucial to our plans to further grow our business, and the appointment of Al Klotsche to the global role of senior vice-president — human resources, underscores our commitment to this. He is a well respected business leader with experience working with diverse cultures and a solid track record of success, coupled with a passion for Brady’s people and Brady’s special culture,” said Frank M. Jaehnert, Brady president and chief executive officer.

“I’m excited for this opportunity to lead Brady’s global human resource function. Having been a part of the leadership team that developed Brady’s vision for the future, I am looking forward to helping to create a pathway to achieve that vision by motivating and developing employees in all regions, both those currently within our businesses as well as those who will be joining the company in the future,” said Klotsche.

Brady Corporation is an international manufacturer and marketer of complete solutions that identify and protect premises, products and people. Its products help customers increase safety, security, productivity and performance and include high-performance labels and signs, safety devices, printing systems and software, and precision die-cut materials. Founded in 1914, the company has more than 1 million customers in electronics, telecommunications, manufacturing, electrical, construction, education, medical and a variety of other industries. Brady is headquartered in Milwaukee and employs more than 6,600 people at operations in the Americas, Europe and Asia/Pacific. Brady’s fiscal 2010 sales were approximately \$1.26 billion. More information is available on the Internet at www.bradycorp.com.

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