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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): February 4, 2015

Kemper Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 001-18298

DE 95-4255452
(State or other jurisdiction (IRS Employer of incorporation) Identification No.)

One East Wacker Drive, Chicago, IL 60601

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

312-661-4600

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management

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

On February 4, 2015, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Kemper Corporation (the "Company") determined that two Board members, Wayne Kauth and Richard C. Vie, will not stand for re-election at the 2015 Annual Meeting of Shareholders, and will retire from the Board on May 6, 2015, the last day of the current term for all Board members.

On February 4, 2015, the Board elected George N. Cochran and Kathleen M. Cronin to the Board of Directors, appointed Mr. Cochran as a member of the Audit Committee of the Board, and appointed Ms. Cronin as a member of the Audit Committee and the Nominating & Corporate Governance Committee of the Board, effective February 4, 2015.

Both Mr. Cochran and Ms. Cronin will be entitled to participate in Kemper's non-employee director compensation program, which is described in Kemper's Proxy Statement for the 2014 Annual Meeting of Shareholders on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). There is no arrangement or understanding with either Mr. Cochran or Ms. Cronin pursuant to which they were selected as directors, and there are no transactions involving Mr. Cochran, Ms. Cronin or any member of his or her immediate family that would require disclosure by the Company under Item 404(a) of SEC Regulation S-K.

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SIGNATURES

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.

Date: February 6, 2015 Kemper Corporation
/s/ Frank J. Sodaro
Frank J. Sodaro

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer