

NABORS INDUSTRIES LTD  
Form 8-K  
February 27, 2012

**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 24, 2012**

**NABORS INDUSTRIES LTD.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Bermuda**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation or Organization)

**001-32657**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**98-0363970**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

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**Crown House**

**4 Par-la-Ville Road**

**Second Floor**

**Hamilton, HM08 Bermuda**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**(441) 292-1510**

**N/A**  
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**N/A**

(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:

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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 Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On February 27, 2012, we issued a press release announcing that on February 24, 2012 our Board of Directors voted to expand the Board to nine members from seven and subsequently appointed James R. Crane and Michael C. Linn to fill the newly created vacancies. Each joins the Board as a Class III Director, which has a term through our 2012 annual general meeting of shareholders.

A copy of the press release announcing the directors' appointment is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this current report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release

**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.

NABORS INDUSTRIES LTD.

Date: February 27, 2012

By: /s/ Mark D. Andrews  
Mark D. Andrews  
Corporate Secretary

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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