STARRETT L S CO Form 8-K September 17, 2009

Massachusetts

## 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): September 11, 2009

## THE L.S. STARRETT COMPANY (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

04-1866480

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(State or Other Jurisdiction	(Commission	(IRS Employer
of Incorporation	File Number)	Identification No.)
121 Crescent Street		
Athol, Massachusetts		01331
(Address of Principal Executive		(Zip Code)
Offices)		

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 978-249-3551

#### 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 (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 Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(b) Mr. Randall J. Hylek, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer, voluntarily resigned from the Company effective September 11, 2009.

## **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.

## THE L.S. STARRETT COMPANY

Date: September 17, 2009 By: /s/ Douglas A. Starrett

Douglas A. Starrett President and CEO