

PROSPECT CAPITAL CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 18, 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): **December 18, 2012 (December 17, 2012)**

**Prospect Capital Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**MARYLAND**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**814-00659**  
(Commission File Number)

**43-2048643**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**10 East 40th Street, 44th Floor, New York, New York 10016**

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(212) 448-0702**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

Prospect Capital Corporation issued press releases on December 17, 2012 and December 18, 2012. The Registrant's press releases are attached hereto as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 and are incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statement and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release, dated December 17, 2012

99.2 Press release, dated December 18, 2012

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this Current Report on Form 8-K to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Prospect Capital Corporation

By. /s/ M. Grier Eliasek  
Name: M. Grier Eliasek  
Title: Chief Operating Officer

Date: December 18, 2012

**Index to Exhibits**

| <b>Exhibit<br/>Number</b> | <b>Description</b>                     |
|---------------------------|--|
| 99.1                      | Press release, dated December 17, 2012 |
| 99.2                      | Press release, dated December 18, 2012 |