GENERAL DYNAMICS CORP Form 8-K March 14, 2017

#### **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) March 14, 2017 (March 13, 2017)

## GENERAL DYNAMICS CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction 1-3671 (Commission

13-1673581 (IRS Employer

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of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

2941 Fairview Park Drive, Suite 100,

Falls Church, Virginia (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

22042-4513 (Zip Code)

(703) 876-3000

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

## Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, If Changed Since Last Report.)

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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

On March 13, 2017, Mary T. Barra informed General Dynamics Corporation that she will not stand for re-election to the company s Board of Directors at its next annual meeting. Ms. Barra s decision was not a result of any disagreement with the company.

On March 14, 2017, the company s Board of Directors nominated Catherine B. Reynolds, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of EduCap, Inc., for election to the Board at the company s Annual Meeting of Shareholders to be held May 3, 2017. Information about Ms. Reynolds will be contained in the company s proxy statement that will be provided to the company s shareholders in advance of the Annual Meeting.

#### **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.

## GENERAL DYNAMICS CORPORATION

by /s/ GREGORY S. GALLOPOULOS
Gregory S. Gallopoulos
Senior Vice President, General Counsel
and Secretary
(Authorized Officer)

Dated: March 14, 2017