MICHAELS STORES INC Form 8-K July 22, 2009

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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): July 10, 2009

MICHAELS STORES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware 001-09338 75-1943604

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

8000 Bent Branch Drive

Irving, Texas 75063

P.O. Box 619566

DFW, Texas 75261-9566

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

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Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (972) 409-1300

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Item 5.02.	Departure of Directors or Certain Officer	s; Election of Directors;	Appointment of	Certain Officers;	Compensatory
Arrangeme	ents of Certain Officers				

On July 10, 2009, Stuart W. Aitken resigned as Executive Vice President Chief Marketing Officer of Michaels Stores, Inc.

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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.

MICHAELS STORES, INC.

By: /s/ Michael J. Veitenheimer

Michael J. Veitenheimer

Senior Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel

Date: July 22, 2009

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