

NOVATION COMPANIES, INC.
Form 8-K
April 03, 2013

**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**

April 3, 2013

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

NOVATION COMPANIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Maryland
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)**

**001-13533
(Commission File Number)**

**74-2830661
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)**

**2114 Central Street, Suite 600, Kansas City, MO 64108
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)**

**(816) 237-7000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

**Not Applicable
(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 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events.

Novation Companies, Inc. (the Company) sent a letter to the shareholders of the Company on April 3, 2013, which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

The following exhibit is filed with this report as required by Item 601 of Regulation S-K:

Exhibit No. Description of Document

99.1	Shareholder Letter mailed April 3, 2013
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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 thereunto duly authorized.

NOVATION COMPANIES, INC.

DATE: April 3, 2013

/s/ Rodney E. Schwatken
Rodney E. Schwatken

Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer,
Treasurer and Secretary
