CONAGRA FOODS INC /DE/ Form 8-K September 20, 2012

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) September 20, 2012

ConAgra Foods, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction

1-7275 (Commission 47-0248710 (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

One ConAgra Drive

68102

Omaha, NE (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(402) 240-4000

(Zip Code)

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(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):

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On September 20, 2012, ConAgra Foods, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release and posted a question and answer document (Q&A) on its website containing information on the Company s first quarter fiscal 2013 financial results. The press release and Q&A are furnished with this Form 8-K as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2, respectively.

The press release and Q&A include the non-GAAP financial measures of adjusted operating profit for the Consumer Foods segment, adjusted operating profit for the Commercial Foods segment, adjusted unallocated corporate expense, adjusted diluted earnings per share from continuing operations, effective tax rate excluding items impacting comparability and net debt. Management considers GAAP financial measures as well as such non-GAAP financial information in its evaluation of the Company s financial statements and believes these non-GAAP measures provide useful supplemental information to assess the Company s operating performance and financial position. To the extent required, these measures are reconciled in the press release and Q&A to the most directly comparable measures as reported in accordance with GAAP, and should be viewed in addition to, and not in lieu of, the Company s diluted earnings per share and operating performance and financial measures as calculated in accordance with GAAP.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release issued September 20, 2012

Exhibit 99.2 Questions and Answers

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.

CONAGRA FOODS, INC.

Date: September 20, 2012 By: /s/ Colleen Batcheler

Name: Colleen Batcheler

Title: Executive Vice President, General

Counsel and Corporate Secretary

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