

**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): October 2, 2016

Triangle Capital Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

814-00733
(Commission
File Number)

06-1798488
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

3700 Glenwood Avenue, Suite 530, Raleigh, North Carolina
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

27612
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (919) 719-4770

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:

- ☐ 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))
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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On October 2, 2016, the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of Triangle Capital Corporation (the “Company”) approved the promotion of three longstanding senior officers to the following roles:

- Jeffrey A. Dombcik to Senior Managing Director and Chief Credit Officer;
- Cary B. Nordan to Senior Managing Director and Chief Origination Officer;
- and
- Douglas A. Vaughn to Senior Managing Director and Chief Administrative Officer.

In addition, Messrs. Dombcik, Nordan and Vaughn will join E. Ashton Poole, the Company’s President and Chief Executive Officer, and Steven C. Lilly, the Company’s Chief Financial Officer, on the Company’s Management Committee and will become Executive Officers of the Company.

Mr. Dombcik, 49, joined the Company in February 2007. Prior to joining the Company, Mr. Dombcik was a Managing Director of South Franklin Street Partners, a small business investment company focused on providing junior capital to middle market companies. Prior to joining South Franklin Street Partners in 2003, Mr. Dombcik served as Executive Vice President and Partner of Edgewater Capital Partners, L.P., a private equity investment firm focused on the acquisition of middle market companies. Mr. Dombcik also served as a Senior Vice President of investment banking for McDonald Investments, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Key Corp., and Vice President of Brown, Gibbons, Lang & Company L.P., a middle market investment bank with offices in Chicago and Cleveland. Mr. Dombcik is a graduate of Miami University and John Carroll University.

Mr. Nordan, 41, joined the Company in July 2004. Prior to joining the Company, Mr. Nordan served as Vice President with BB&T Asset Management (BB&T Funds), a subsidiary of BB&T Corp. He was responsible for leading an investment team that managed over \$1 Billion of capital specifically focused on investing in small-cap public equities. Preceding his employment with BB&T Asset Management, he worked in corporate finance with Stanford Keene, Inc., an investment bank specializing in the technology industry, and Nuance Capital Group, LLC, an advisory firm to private companies. Mr. Nordan began his career as an Analyst and Associate in the corporate finance group of Trident Securities, a subsidiary of McDonald Investments, where he specialized in investment banking and advisory services to lower and middle market financial institutions throughout the United States. Mr. Nordan graduated, summa cum laude, from Appalachian State University in 1997 with a BSBA degree (finance, banking and accounting). He received an MBA from the Fuqua School of Business at Duke University and is a CFA charterholder.

Mr. Vaughn, 47, joined the Company in January 2008. Prior to joining the Company, Mr. Vaughn was President and a Director of VIETRI, Inc., America’s largest importer, distributor and marketer of handmade Italian ceramic and home décor items. Prior to his eight years at VIETRI, Inc., Mr. Vaughn advised business owners and managers, including private equity funds, on strategic initiatives including acquisitions and corporate finance - first as a Senior Consultant at Deloitte Consulting and later as a Partner at Chatham Partners. Prior to that, Mr. Vaughn served in management roles for Sara Lee Corporation. Mr. Vaughn holds a BA from the University of Virginia and an MBA from The University of North Carolina’s Kenan-Flagler School of Business.

The Company issued a press release announcing the promotions of Messrs. Dombcik, Nordan and Vaughn. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit 99.1 is being furnished herewith to this Current Report on Form 8-K:

<u>Exhibit</u>	<u>Description</u>
<u>No.</u>	
99.1	Press Release dated October 3, 2016 of the Company

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.

Triangle Capital Corporation

Date: October 5, 2016

By: /s/ Steven C. Lilly
Steven C. Lilly
Chief Financial Officer

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TRIANGLE
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3700 Glenwood Ave., Ste. 530
Raleigh, NC 27612

TRIANGLE CAPITAL CORPORATION ANNOUNCES SENIOR MANAGEMENT PROMOTIONS

RALEIGH, NC - October 3, 2016, Triangle Capital Corporation (NYSE: TCAP) (“Triangle” or the “Company”), a leading provider of capital to lower middle market companies, announced today that its Board of Directors has approved the following senior management promotions:

- Jeffrey A. Dombcik to Senior Managing Director and Chief Credit Officer;
- Cary B. Nordan to Senior Managing Director and Chief Origination Officer; and
- Douglas A. Vaughn to Senior Managing Director and Chief Administrative Officer.

Messrs. Dombcik, Nordan and Vaughn will also join the Company’s Management Committee and become Executive Officers of the Company.

Commenting on the promotions, E. Ashton Poole, President and Chief Executive Officer, stated, “The promotions being announced today recognize three extremely talented individuals, all of whom are seasoned investment professionals with 29 years of collective service to Triangle. As Triangle continues to expand its presence and brand name across the lower middle market, their experience and leadership will provide the Company with increased bandwidth, functionality and accountability. Again, I am delighted to announce these well-deserved promotions.”

About Triangle Capital Corporation

Triangle Capital Corporation (www.TCAP.com) invests capital in established companies in the lower middle market to fund growth, changes of control and other corporate events. Triangle offers a wide variety of investment structures with a primary focus on mezzanine financing with equity components. Triangle’s investment objective is to seek attractive returns by generating current income from debt investments and capital appreciation from equity related investments. Triangle’s investment philosophy is to partner with business owners, management teams and financial sponsors to provide flexible financing solutions. Triangle typically invests \$5.0 million - \$35.0 million per transaction in companies with annual revenues between \$20.0 million and \$200.0 million and EBITDA between \$3.0 million and \$35.0 million.

Triangle has elected to be treated as a business development company under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (“1940 Act”). Triangle is required to comply with a series of regulatory requirements under the 1940 Act as well as applicable NYSE, federal and state laws and regulations. Triangle has elected to be treated as a regulated investment company

under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. Failure to comply with any of the laws and regulations that apply to Triangle could have a material adverse effect on Triangle and its stockholders.

Forward Looking Statements

This press release may contain forward looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Any such statements, other than statements of historical fact, are likely to be affected by other unknowable future events and conditions, including elements of the future that are or are not under the Company's control, and that the Company may or may not have considered; accordingly, such statements cannot be guarantees or assurances of any aspect of future performance. Actual developments and results are highly likely to vary materially from these estimates and projections of the future and some of these uncertainties are enumerated in Triangle's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Certain factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those contained in the forward-looking statements are included in our annual reports on Form 10-K, quarterly reports on Form 10-Q and current reports on Form 8-K, each as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Copies are available on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov and stockholders may receive a hard copy of the completed audited financial statements free of charge upon request to the Company at 3700 Glenwood Avenue, Suite 530, Raleigh, NC 27612. Such statements speak only as of the time when made, and the Company undertakes no obligation to update any such statement now or in the future.

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