LACLEDE GROUP INC Form 8-K January 16, 2015

#### **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): Jan

**January 16, 2015** 

(January 15, 2015)

Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter and Principal Office Address

and

Telephone Number The Laclede Group, Inc. **State of Incorporation** Missouri **Identification Number** 74-2976504

I.R.S. Employer

720 Olive Street

Commission

File No.

1-16681

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# **Alabama Gas Corporation**

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

#### Item 1.02 Termination of a Material Definitive Agreement.

On January 15, 2015, Alabama Gas Corporation ( Alagasco ), a wholly owned subsidiary of The Laclede Group, Inc., redeemed for cash \$34.8 million aggregate principal amount outstanding of its previously issued 5.70% notes due January 15, 2035 ( Notes ). The Notes were issued pursuant to an Indenture dated as of November 1, 1993, as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified ( Indenture ), between Alagasco ( Issuer ) and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A. (as successor to NationsBank of Georgia, National Association), as Trustee ( Trustee ). A copy of the redemption notice is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibits are filed as part of this report:

99.1 Notice of Full Redemption to Holders of 5.70% Notes due January 15, 2035 dated December 15, 2014

#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each of the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: January 16, 2015

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THE LACLEDE GROUP, INC.

By: /s/ Steven P. Rasche

Steven P. Rasche

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer

ALABAMA GAS CORPORATION

By: /s/ Steven P. Rasche

Steven P. Rasche

Chief Financial Officer

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