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**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): August 11, 2011**

**United Parcel Service, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

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**001-15451**

(Commission  
File Number)

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**58-2480149**

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

55 Glenlake Parkway, N.E.  
Atlanta, Georgia  
(Address of principal executive offices)

30328  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (404) 828-6000

Not applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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  - 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 August 11, 2011, the Board of Directors of United Parcel Service, Inc. (the “Company”) appointed Dr. Candace Kendle to serve as an independent director of the Company. Dr. Kendle also was appointed to serve on the Audit Committee. She will stand for election at the annual meeting of shareowners in May 2012.

Dr. Kendle, 64, is the co-founder and former chairman and chief executive officer of Kendle International Inc., a global clinical research organization that delivers a wide range of clinical development and clinical trial services to biopharmaceutical companies around the world. Headquartered in Cincinnati, the company was acquired by INC Research LLC of Raleigh, N.C. in July 2011.

Dr. Kendle is a founding member and past chairperson of the Association of Clinical Research Organizations and is recognized worldwide as a leader in the clinical research industry. She earned a doctorate in pharmacy from the University of Cincinnati, then completed post-doctoral training at the Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center and the University of North Carolina School of Public Health in Chapel Hill. Prior to founding Kendle International, Dr. Kendle held senior faculty positions at the University of North Carolina Schools of Pharmacy and Medicine; the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine; the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science, and the University of Cincinnati College of Pharmacy.

Dr. Kendle is a member of the Committee of 200, an organization of preeminent women entrepreneurs and corporate leaders, and serves as a mentor for the Fortune-U.S. State Department Global Women Leaders Mentoring Partnership. For more than 10 years, she has served on the H.J. Heinz Company Board of Directors, where she sits on the Audit and Management Development & Compensation Committees.

Dr. Kendle’s compensation for her services as a director will be consistent with that of the Company’s other non-employee directors as described in the Company’s definitive proxy statement filed on March 14, 2011. Other than the standard compensation arrangements, there are no arrangements or understandings between Dr. Kendle and any other person pursuant to which she was appointed as a director. Dr. Kendle is not a party to any transaction with the Company that would require disclosure under Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

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**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.

UNITED PARCEL SERVICE, INC.

Date: August 16, 2011

By: /s/ Kurt P. Kuehn

Name: Kurt P. Kuehn  
Title: Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer