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

September 26, 2012
(Date of Report)
(Date of earliest event reported)

JOHN WILEY & SONS, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York
(State or jurisdiction of incorporation)

0-11507
Commission File Number

13-5593032
IRS Employer Identification Number

111 River Street, Hoboken NJ
Address of principal executive offices

07030
Zip Code

Registrant’s telephone number, including area code:
(201) 748-6000

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(17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
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(17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Wiley Announces Update on Health Condition of President and CEO Steve Smith

John Wiley and Sons, Inc., today announced that its President and Chief Executive Officer, Stephen M. Smith, will undergo further treatment for urological cancer. Following surgery and chemotherapy a year ago Mr. Smith’s doctors have recommended a further course of chemotherapy combined with radiation.

The treatment is planned to be carried out over the next two months, during which time Mr. Smith will continue to handle his day-to-day responsibilities as President and Chief Executive Officer. Whether in the office or working remotely, Steve will continue to work closely with the leadership team, as well as maintain regular communication with the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors, which includes Eduardo Menasce (Chair, Executive Compensation and Development Committee), Bill Plummer (Member of Audit Committee), Will Pesce (former President & CEO) and Peter Wiley (Chairman of the Board) regarding the progress of his treatment.

“We give Steve our full confidence as he receives further treatment and recovers from his illness,” said Peter Booth Wiley, Chairman of the Board of Directors.
SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized

JOHN WILEY & SONS, INC.
Registrant

By /s/ Stephen M. Smith
Stephen M. Smith
President and Chief Executive Officer

By /s/ Ellis E. Cousens
Ellis E. Cousens
Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial & Operations Officer

Dated: September 26, 2012