

Gevo, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
February 28, 2012

**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): February 23, 2012**

**Gevo, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of

Incorporation)

**001-35073**  
Commission

File Number

**87-0747704**  
(I.R.S. Employer

Identification Number)

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**345 Inverness Drive South, Building C, Suite 310, Englewood, CO 80112**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (303) 858-8358**

**N/A**

**(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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

(b) Departure of Named Executive Officers.

On February 23, 2012, Gevo, Inc. (the "Company") announced that Michael Slaney, Executive Vice President, Upstream Business Development, and David Black, Executive Vice President, Upstream Business Development, will be leaving the Company effective March 23, 2012. Messrs. Slaney and Black are each named executive officers within the meaning of Instruction 4 to Item 5.02 of Form 8-K.

**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.

**Gevo, Inc.**

By: /s/ Mark Smith  
Mark Smith  
Chief Financial Officer

Date: February 28, 2012