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SCHEDULE 14A

(Rule 14a-101)

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN PROXY STATEMENT

SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.)

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*** Exercise Your Right to Vote ***

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on May 15, 2013

TRUEBLUE, INC



TrueRlue Inc C/O Computershare 350 Indiana Street Suite750 Golden, CO 80401

Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting For holders as of: March 15, 2013

Date: May 15, 2013 **Time:** 10:00 AM PDT

Location: TrueBlue, Inc. 1015 A Street

Tacoma, WA 98402

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares in the above named company.

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at www.proxyvote.com or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.

Before You Vote —

How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

1. Notice & Proxy Statement 2. Form 10-K

How to View Online:

How to Request and Receive a PAPER or E-MAIL Copy:

If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of these documents, you must request one. There is NO charge for requesting a copy. Please choose one of the following methods to make your request:

1) *BY INTERNET*: www.proxyvote.com 2) *BY TELEPHONE*: 1-800-579-1639

3) BY E-MAIL*: sendmaterial@proxyvote.com

* If requesting materials by e-mail, please send a blank e-mail with the information that is printed in the box marked by

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Requests, instructions and other inquiries sent to this e-mail address will NOT be forwarded to your investment advisor. Please make the request as instructed above on or before May 01, 2013 to facilitate timely delivery.

– How To Vote –

Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

Vote In Person: Many shareholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting, you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

Vote By Internet: To vote now by Internet, go to *www.proxyvote.com*. Have the information that is printed in the box marked by the arrow \Rightarrow $\boxed{\text{xxxxxxxxxxxxxx}}$ available and follow the instructions.

Vote By Mail: You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

Voting items

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following:

- 1. Election of Directors
- Nominees
 1a. Steven C. Cooper
- 1b. Thomas E. McChesney
- 1c. Gates McKibbin
- 1d. Jeffrey B. Sakaguchi
- 1e. Joseph P. Sambataro, Jr
- 1f. Bonnie W. Soodik
- 1g. William W. Steele
- 1h. Craig E. Tall

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR proposals 2, 3 and 4.

- **2.** Advisory vote approving executive compensation.
- 3. Approval of amendments to the Company's Amended and Restated 2005 Long-Term Equity Incentive Plan.
- Ratification of the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 27, 2013.

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