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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 20, 2021**

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**ROOT, INC.**

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

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**Delaware**

(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**001-39658**

(Commission File Number)

**84-2717903**

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**80 E. Rich Street, Suite 500  
Columbus, Ohio**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**43215**

(Zip Code)

**(866) 980-9431**

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

**Not Applicable**

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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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 (see General Instructions A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
- Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

**Title of each class**

**Trading Symbol(s)**

**Name of each exchange on  
which registered**

**Class A Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value**

**ROOT**

**The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC**

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

Anirban Kundu, Chief Technology Officer, has notified Root, Inc. (the "Company") of his intention to resign from the Company, effective October 29, 2021, in order to pursue an outside opportunity. Equity awards granted to Mr. Kundu by the Company will forfeit upon his departure. Matt Bonakdarpour, Chief Data Science & Analytics Officer, will oversee the Company's engineering organization as the Company initiates a search for a Chief Technology Officer.

The information contained in Item 7.01 of this Form 8-K (including Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto) shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as expressly provided by specific reference in such a filing.

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**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 hereunto duly authorized.

**ROOT, INC.**

Dated: October 20, 2021

By: /s/ Alexander Timm

Alexander Timm

Chief Executive Officer and Director