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FORM N-1A

REGISTRATION STATEMENT
UNDER
THE SECURITIES ACT of 1933
POST-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 142
REGISTRATION STATEMENT
UNDER
THE INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT OF 1940
AMENDMENT NO. 115

Eaton Vance Growth Trust
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Two International Place, Boston, Massachusetts 02110
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(617) 482-8260
(Registrant's Telephone Number)

MAUREEN A. GEMMA
Two International Place, Boston, Massachusetts 02110
(Name and Address of Agent for Service)

It is proposed that this filing will become effective pursuant to Rule 485 (check appropriate box):

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If appropriate, check the following box:

- This post-effective amendment designates a new effective date for a previously filed post-effective amendment.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the Registrant certifies that it meets all of the requirements for effectiveness of this Amendment to the Registration Statement pursuant to Rule 485(b) under the Securities Act of 1933 and has duly caused this Amendment to its Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized in the City of Boston, and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on January 14, 2013.

Eaton Vance Growth Trust
 By: /s/ Duncan W. Richardson
 Duncan W. Richardson, *President*

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment to the Registration Statement has been signed below by the following persons in the capacities indicated on January 14, 2013.

Signature	Title
<u>/s/ Duncan W. Richardson</u> Duncan W. Richardson	President (Chief Executive Officer)
<u>/s/ Barbara E. Campbell</u> Barbara E. Campbell	Treasurer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

Signature	Title	Signature	Title
<u>Scott E. Eston*</u> Scott E. Eston	Trustee	<u>Ronald A. Pearlman*</u> Ronald A. Pearlman	Trustee
<u>Benjamin C. Esty*</u> Benjamin C. Esty	Trustee	<u>Helen Frame Peters*</u> Helen Frame Peters	Trustee
<u>Thomas E. Faust Jr.*</u> Thomas E. Faust Jr.	Trustee	<u>Lynn A. Stout*</u> Lynn A. Stout	Trustee
<u>Allen R. Freedman*</u> Allen R. Freedman	Trustee	<u>Harriett Tee Taggart*</u> Harriett Tee Taggart	Trustee
<u>William H. Park*</u> William H. Park	Trustee	<u>Ralph F. Verni*</u> Ralph F. Verni	Trustee

*By: /s/ Deidre E. Walsh
 Deidre E. Walsh (*As attorney-in-fact*)

* Pursuant to a Power of Attorney dated December 17, 2012 filed as Exhibit (q) to the Registrant's Post-Effective Amendment No. 141 filed December 20, 2012 (Accession No. 0000940394-12-001268) and incorporated herein by reference.

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	Description
EX-101.INS	XBRL Instance Document
EX-101.SCH	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
EX-101.DEF	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase
EX-101.LAB	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Labels Linkbase
Ex-101.PRE	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase