

ESCALADE INC
Form 8-K
October 27, 2016

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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) October 27, 2016

ESCALADE, INCORPORATED

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Indiana

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

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0-6966 13-2739290
(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

817 Maxwell Avenue, Evansville, Indiana 47711
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(812) 467-1251

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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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))

Section 2 – Financial Information

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 27, 2016, Escalade, Incorporated ("Escalade") issued the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 announcing its results for the third fiscal quarter ended October 1, 2016.

The information under this Item 2.02 shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be incorporated by reference into a filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Section 8 – Other Events

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On October 27, 2016, the Board of Directors of Escalade announced that a quarterly dividend of eleven cents \$0.11 per share would be paid to all shareholders of record on December 12, 2016 and disbursed on December 19, 2016.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d)Exhibits

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press release dated October 27, 2016

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Escalade, Incorporated has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 27, 2016 **ESCALADE,
INCORPORATED**

By: /s/ STEPHEN R. WAWRIN

Stephen R. Wawrin, Vice
President and Chief Financial
Officer