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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 5, 2018

MTS SYSTEMS CORPORATION
(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

MINNESOTA 000-02382 41-0908057

(STATE OR OTHER JURISDICTION OF (COMMISSION FILE (I.R.S. EMPLOYER INCORPORATION) NUMBER) (I.R.S. EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO.)

14000 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE, EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344 (ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES, INCLUDING ZIP CODE)

(952) 937-4000

(REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE)

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 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)) 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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On February 5, 2018, MTS Systems Corporation (the "Company") issued a press release announcing the results of operations and financial condition for the fiscal quarter ended December 30, 2017, the first quarter of the Company's 2018 fiscal year.

During a conference call scheduled to be held at 10:00 a.m. ET on February 6, 2018 the Company's President and Chief Executive Officer, Dr. Jeffrey A. Graves, and Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, Brian T. Ross, will discuss the Company's results for the fiscal quarter ended December 30, 2017.

Attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the Company's press release in connection with the announcement. The information in this Item 2.02, including Exhibit 99.1, is furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, and shall not be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits (d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is being furnished herewith:

99.1 Press Release dated February 5, 2018 announcing the results of operations and financial condition for the fiscal quarter ended December 30, 2017.

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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.

MTS SYSTEMS CORPORATION (Registrant)

Date: February 5, 2018 By:/s/ Brian T. Ross

Brian T. Ross

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer