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| CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d   | ) of The Securities Ex   | change Act of 1934   |
| Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): May 1, 2019   |  |  |
| CREE, INC. (Exact name of registrant as spe   | cified in its charter)   |  |
| North Carolina  | 0-21154  | 56-1572719<br>(I.R.S.  |
| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)  | (Commission File<br>Number)  | Employer Identification Number)  |
| 4600 Silicon Drive<br>Durham, North Carolina<br>(Address of principal executive   | 27703<br>offices) (Zip Code)   |  |
| (919) 407-5300<br>Registrant's telephone number,  | including area code  |  |
| N/A<br>(Former name or former address   | s, if changed since las  | t report)  |
| Check the appropriate box below<br>the registrant under any of the fo   |  | ng is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of  |
| [ ] Soliciting material pursuan [ ] Pre-commencement communication [ ] Pre-commencement communicate by check mark whether | t to Rule 14a-12 unde<br>unications pursuant to<br>unications pursuant to<br>the registrant is an er | nder the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) r the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) merging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2). |

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. []

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On May 1, 2019, Cree, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing results for the fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2019. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated into this report by reference.

The information in this Item 2.02, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liability of that section. Furthermore, the information in this report shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into the filings of the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description of Exhibit

99.1 Press release dated May 1, 2019

## **SIGNATURE**

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.

CREE, INC.

By: /s/ Neill P. Reynolds
Neill P. Reynolds
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 1, 2019