

PLUG POWER INC  
Form 8-K  
August 30, 2018

**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): **August 28, 2018**

**Plug Power Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**1-34392**  
(Commission File  
Number)

**22-3672377**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**968 Albany Shaker Road,**  
**Latham, New York**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**12110**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(518) 782-7700**

**N/A**

(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 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))

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 8.01 Other Events**

On August 28, 2018, a lawsuit was filed on behalf of eight individuals against Plug Power Inc. (the Company) and five corporate co-defendants in the 9th Judicial District Court, Rapides Parish, Louisiana.

The lawsuit relates to the previously disclosed May 2018 accident involving a forklift powered by a Plug Power fuel cell at a Procter & Gamble facility in Louisiana. The lawsuit alleges claims against the Company and the co-defendants for defect in construction and/or composition, design defect, inadequate warning, breach of express warranty and negligence. The lawsuit claims an unspecified amount of damages for wrongful death and personal injuries, among other damages. The Company intends to vigorously defend the litigation.

Given the early stage of this matter, the Company is unable to determine the likelihood of an adverse outcome. However, the Company does not expect the lawsuit to have a material impact on the Company's financial position, liquidity or results of operations, or to otherwise have a material adverse effect on the Company.

**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.

PLUG POWER INC.

Date: August 29, 2018

By:

*/s/ Andrew Marsh*  
Andrew Marsh  
President and Chief Executive Officer