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CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA Form 8-K August 29, 2016

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 29, 2016

Corrections Corporation of America

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or Other Jurisdiction

001-16109 (Commission

62-1763875 (I.R.S. Employer

of Incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

10 Burton Hills Boulevard, Nashville, Tennessee 37215

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(615) 263-3000

(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))

Item 7.01. Regulation FD.

On August 29, 2016, Corrections Corporation of America issued a press release providing an update on customer interactions in response to the Department of Justice s decision to reduce reliance on privately operated prisons. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) The following exhibit is furnished as part of this Current Report:

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated August 29, 2016

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.

Date: August 29, 2016 CORRECTIONS CORPORATION OF AMERICA

By: /s/ David Garfinkle David Garfinkle

Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press Release dated August 29, 2016