

SEARS HOMETOWN & OUTLET STORES, INC.  
Form 8-K  
December 01, 2017

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): December 1, 2017

SEARS HOMETOWN AND OUTLET STORES, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware                                      001-35641      80-0808358  
(State or Other Jurisdiction   (Commission   (IRS Employer  
of Incorporation)                      File Number)   Identification No.)

5500 Trillium Boulevard, Suite 501                                      60192  
Hoffman Estates, Illinois  
(Address of principal executive offices)      (Zip code)  
Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (847) 286-7000  
(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):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the 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 December 1, 2017 Sears Hometown and Outlet Stores, Inc. issued a news release regarding its third quarter earnings for the 2017 fiscal year. The news release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 News release dated December 1, 2017.

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description of Document

\*99.1 News release dated December 1, 2017

\* Furnished herewith

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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.

SEARS HOMETOWN AND OUTLET STORES, INC.

By: /s/ E. J. BIRD

E. J. Bird

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Dated: December 1, 2017