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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of March 2017

Commission File Number 001-35298

OCEAN RIG UDW INC.

Ocean Rig Cayman Management Services SEZC Limited 3rd Floor Flagship Building Harbour Drive, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands

(Address of principal executive offices)

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## INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM 6-K REPORT

On March 23, 2017, Ocean Rig UDW Inc., a Cayman Islands company (the "Company"), its subsidiaries, Drillships Financing Holding Inc., Drillships Ocean Ventures Inc., Drill Rigs Holdings Inc., all three Republic of the Marshall Islands corporations, and certain Initial Supporting Creditors representing over 72% of the Company's outstanding consolidated indebtedness entered into a restructuring agreement (the "Restructuring Agreement"). The Restructuring Agreement provides that the restructuring will be implemented by four separate but interconnected schemes of arrangement under Cayman Islands law and ancillary proceedings under Chapter 15 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code seeking recognition of the Cayman provisional liquidation proceedings and the schemes of arrangement as foreign main proceedings, and an order of the U.S. Bankruptcy Court giving effect to the schemes in the United States.

Attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1 is a copy of the Restructuring Agreement.

Attached hereto as Exhibit 10.2 is a copy of the waiver to the Restructuring Agreement dated as of March 23, 2017.

Attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the press release of the Company dated March 28, 2017: "Ocean Rig UDW Inc. Reaches Agreement on Comprehensive Deleveraging and Recapitalization Transaction", relating to the restructuring.

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

> OCEAN RIG UDW INC.

Dated: March 28, 2017 By: /s/George

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George Economou Chief Executive Officer