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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): March 22, 2017

PPG INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania 001-1687 25-0730780 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

One PPG Place, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

(Address of principal executive offices)

15272

(Zip Code)

(412) 434-3131

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- [] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On March 22, 2017, PPG Industries, Inc. issued the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99, which is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number Description

99 Press release of PPG Industries, Inc. dated March 22, 2017.

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.

PPG INDUSTRIES, INC. (Registrant)

Date: March 22, 2017 By:/s/ Michael H. McGarry Michael H. McGarry

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

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