Rocket Fuel Inc. Form 8-K May 10, 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) May 10, 2016

Rocket Fuel Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-36071 30-0472319
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1900 Seaport Blvd.
Redwood City, CA 94063
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code) (650) 595-1300
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 10 2016, Rocket Fuel Inc. issued a press release announcing its financial results for the three months ended March 31, 2016. The attached press release includes a discussion of certain non-GAAP financial measures as well as a reconciliation of such non-GAAP financial measures to the corresponding GAAP financial measures.

A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

This exhibit shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in any such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description 99.1 Press release announcing financial results dated May 10, 2016

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ROCKET FUEL INC.

By: /s/ REX S. JACKSON Rex S. Jackson Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

Date: May 10, 2016

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Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release announcing earnings dated May 10, 2016