

APPLE INC
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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

February 2, 2017

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported)

Apple Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

California
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-36743
(Commission
File Number)
1 Infinite Loop

94-2404110
(IRS. Employer
Identification No.)

Cupertino, California 95014

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

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(408) 996-1010

(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 February 9, 2017, Apple Inc. (Apple) consummated the issuance and sale of \$500,000,000 aggregate principal amount of Apple s Floating Rate Notes due 2019 (the 2019 Floating Rate Notes), \$500,000,000 aggregate principal amount of Apple s Floating Rate Notes due 2020 (the 2020 Floating Rate Notes), \$1,000,000,000 aggregate principal amount of Apple s Floating Rate Notes due 2022 (the 2022 Floating Rate Notes and, together with the 2019 Floating Rate Notes and the 2020 Floating Rate Notes, the Floating Rate Notes), \$500,000,000 aggregate principal amount of Apple s 1.550% Notes due 2019 (the 2019 Fixed Rate Notes), \$1,000,000,000 aggregate principal amount of Apple s 1.900% Notes due 2020 (the 2020 Fixed Rate Notes), \$1,500,000,000 aggregate principal amount of Apple s 2.500% Notes due 2022 (the 2022 Fixed Rate Notes), \$1,750,000,000 aggregate principal amount of Apple s 3.000% Notes due 2024 (the 2024 Fixed Rate Notes), \$2,250,000,000 aggregate principal amount of Apple s 3.350% Notes due 2027 (the 2027 Fixed Rate Notes) and \$1,000,000,000 aggregate principal amount of Apple s 4.250% Notes due 2047 (the 2047 Fixed Rate Notes and, together with the 2019 Fixed Rate Notes, the 2020 Fixed Rate Notes, the 2022 Fixed Rate Notes, the 2024 Fixed Rate Notes and the 2027 Fixed Rate Notes, the Fixed Rate Notes) pursuant to an underwriting agreement (the Underwriting Agreement) dated February 2, 2017 between Apple and Goldman, Sachs & Co., Deutsche Bank Securities Inc. and J.P. Morgan Securities LLC as representative of the several underwriters named therein. The Fixed Rate Notes and the Floating Rate Notes are referred to herein as the Notes .

The Notes are being issued pursuant to an indenture, dated as of April 29, 2013 (the Indenture), between Apple and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee, together with the officer s certificate, dated February 9, 2017 (the Officer s Certificate), issued pursuant to the Indenture establishing the terms of each series of Notes.

The Notes are being issued pursuant to Apple s Registration Statement on Form S-3 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 28, 2016 (Reg. No. 333-210983) (the Registration Statement).

Apple will pay interest on the 2019 Floating Rate Notes quarterly in arrears on February 8, May 8, August 8 and November 8 of each year, beginning on May 8, 2017. Interest on the 2020 Floating Rate Notes will be paid quarterly in arrears on February 7, May 7, August 7 and November 7 of each year, beginning on May 7, 2017. Interest on the 2022 Floating Rate Notes will be paid quarterly in arrears on February 9, May 9, August 9 and November 9 of each year, beginning on May 9, 2017.

Interest on the 2019 Fixed Rate Notes will be paid semi-annually in arrears on February 8 and August 8 of each year, beginning on August 8, 2017. Interest on the 2020 Fixed Rate Notes will be paid semi-annually in arrears on February 7 and August 7 of each year, beginning on August 7, 2017. Interest on the 2022 Fixed Rate Notes, 2024 Fixed Rate Notes, 2027 Fixed Rate Notes, and 2047 Fixed Rate Notes will be paid semi-annually in arrears on February 9 and August 9 of each year, beginning on August 9, 2017.

The 2019 Floating Rate Notes will mature on February 8, 2019. The 2020 Floating Rate Notes will mature on February 7, 2020. The 2022 Floating Rate Notes will mature on February 9, 2022. The 2019 Fixed Rate Notes will mature on February 8, 2019. The 2020 Fixed Rate Notes will mature on February 7, 2020. The 2022 Fixed Rate Notes will mature on February 9, 2022. The 2024 Fixed Rate Notes will mature on February 8, 2024. The 2027 Fixed Rate Notes will mature on February 9, 2027. The 2047 Fixed Rate Notes will mature on February 9, 2047.

The Notes will be Apple s senior unsecured obligations and will rank equally with Apple s other unsecured and unsubordinated debt from time to time outstanding.

The foregoing description of the Notes and related agreements is qualified in its entirety by the terms of the Underwriting Agreement, the Indenture and the Officer s Certificate (including the forms of the Notes). Apple is furnishing the Underwriting Agreement and the Officer s Certificate (including the forms of the Notes) attached hereto as Exhibits 1.1 and 4.1 through 4.10, respectively, and they are incorporated herein by reference. The Indenture is

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filed as Exhibit 4.1 to Apple's Registration Statement on Form S-3 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 29, 2013 (Reg. No. 333-188191). The computation of Apple's ratio of earnings to fixed charges is filed as Exhibit 12.1 hereto, and is incorporated by reference into the Registration Statement. An opinion regarding the legality of the Notes is filed as Exhibit 5.1, and is incorporated by reference into the Registration Statement; and a consent relating to the incorporation of such opinion is incorporated by reference into the Registration Statement and is filed as Exhibit 23.1 by reference to its inclusion within Exhibit 5.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

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| 1.1 | Underwriting Agreement, dated February 2, 2017, between Apple Inc. and Goldman, Sachs & Co., Deutsche Bank Securities Inc. and J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, as representative of the several underwriters named therein |
| 4.1 | Officer's Certificate of Apple Inc., dated February 9, 2017 |
| 4.2 | Form of Global Note representing the Floating Rate Notes due 2019 (included in Exhibit 4.1) |
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| 5.1 | Opinion of Hogan Lovells US LLP |
| 12.1 | Computation of Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges |
| 23.1 | Consent of Hogan Lovells US LLP (included in the opinion filed as Exhibit 5.1) |

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: February 9, 2017

Apple Inc.

By: /s/ Luca Maestri
Luca Maestri

Senior Vice President,

Chief Financial Officer

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