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QEP RESOURCES, INC. Form 8-K October 26, 2016		
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISS Washington, D.C. 20549	SION	
FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT		
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934		
Date of Report - October 26, 2016 (Date of earliest event reported)		
QEP RESOURCES, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its ch	arter)	
STATE OF DELAWARE	001-34778	87-0287750 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File No.)	
1050 17 th Street, Suite 800, Denver, Colorado (Address of principal executive offices)	80265	
303-672-6900 (Registrant's telephone number, including area	a code)	
Not Applicable (Former name or former address, if changed s	ince last report)	
Check the appropriate box below if the Form the registrant under any of the following provides	_	
[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 4	425 under the Securities A	act (17 CFR 230.425)
[] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12	under the Exchange Act	(17 CFR 240.14a-12)
[] Pre-commencement communications pursu (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))	uant to Rule 14d-2(b) unde	er the Exchange Act
[] Pre-commencement communications pursu (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))	ant to Rule 13e-4(c) unde	er the Exchange Act

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Section 2 – Financial Information

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On October 26, 2016, QEP Resources, Inc. (the "Registrant") issued a press release to report the results of operations for the period ended September 30, 2016, and to provide an update to 2016 guidance. A copy of the Registrant's release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, and the information contained therein is incorporated herein by reference.

The Registrant's press release announcing its financial results for the period ended September 30, 2016, includes non-GAAP financial measures. Generally, a non-GAAP financial measure is a numerical measure of a company's financial and operating performance that either excludes or includes amounts that are not normally excluded or included in the most directly comparable measure calculated and presented in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles, or GAAP. Pursuant to the requirements of Regulation G, the Registrant has provided quantitative reconciliations within the press release of the non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures.

The information contained in Item 2.02 to this Form 8-K, including the exhibit, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the information shall not be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Exhibit

99.1 Press release issued October 26, 2016, by QEP Resources, Inc.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

QEP Resources, Inc. (Registrant)

October 26, 2016

/s/ Richard J. Doleshek Richard J. Doleshek Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

List of Exhibits:

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