PEAPACK GLADSTONE FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K April 27, 2018
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
April 27, 2018
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
PEAPACK-GLADSTONE FINANCIAL CORPORATION
(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)
New Jersey
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)
001-16197 22-3537895 (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

500 Hills Drive, Suite 300

Bedminster, Nev	v Jersey 07921-1538
(Address of prine	cipal executive offices)
(908) 234-0700	
(Registrant's tele	ephone number, including area code)
	priate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of der any of the following provisions:
o	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
o	Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
o Pre-commenc	rement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
o Pre-commend	cement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company "

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. "

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#### INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

Item 2.02

Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 27, 2018, Peapack-Gladstone Financial Corporation issued a press release reporting earnings and other financial results for three months ended March 31, 2018. A copy of the press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference in its entirety.

The information disclosed under this Item 2.02, including Exhibit 99.1, shall be considered "furnished" but not "filed" for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Item 9.01

Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d)

Exhibits.

#### Exhibit No. Title

#### 99.1 Press Release dated April 27, 2018.

The press release disclosed in this Item 9.01 as Exhibit 99.1 shall be considered "furnished" but not "filed" for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

# PEAPACK-GLADSTONE FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Dated: April 27, 2018 By:/s/ Jeffrey J. Carfora

Jeffrey J. Carfora Senior Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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