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#### Item 8.01. Other Events

On September 13, 2016, Firsthand Technology Value Fund, Inc. issued a press release announcing its top portfolio holdings at the end of August 2016. The top holdings include IntraOp Medical, Pivotal Systems, QMAT, Wrightspeed and Turn. The press release also announced that, as of August 31, 2016, the Fund's top holdings constituted 55.3% of the Fund's estimated net assets.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(a) Financial statements:

None

(b) Pro forma financial information:

None

(c) Shell company transactions:

None

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated September 13, 2016.

### **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.

Dated: September 13, 2016 FIRSTHAND TECHNOLOGY VALUE FUND, INC.

By:/s/ Kevin Landis Kevin Landis President

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