ENCORE CAPITAL GROUP INC Form 8-K July 09, 2018

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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): July 9, 2018

ENCORE CAPITAL GROUP, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

48-1090909

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 000-26489 (IRS Employer (Commission Identification No.)

File Number)

3111 Camino Del Rio North, Suite 103, San Diego,

California

92108 (Zip Code)

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(877) 445-4581

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- oWritten 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-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company 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.

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

In connection with the exploration of various financings, Encore Capital Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), provided the information furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K to potential investors.

The information in Exhibit 99.1 relates to the Company's "Restricted Subsidiaries" as defined in the Company's Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated December 20, 2016.

The information contained in Item 7.01 of this Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto, is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for any purpose, and shall not be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, regardless of any general incorporation language in any such filing. In addition, the Company does not assume any obligation to update such information in the future.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit Number Description
99.1 Information Disclosed

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.

ENCORE CAPITAL GROUP, INC.

Date: July 9, 2018 /s/ Jonathan Clark Jonathan Clark

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number Description
99.1 <u>Information Disclosed</u>