JOHNSON OUTDOORS INC Form 8-K September 29, 2016

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): September 29, 2016

Johnson Outdoors Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Wisconsin0-1625539-1536083(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)(Commission File Number)(IRS Employer Identification No.)

555 Main Street, Racine, Wisconsin 53403 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(262) 631-6600 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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:

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Section 7 – Regulation FD

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On September 29, 2016, Johnson Outdoors Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing approval by the Board of Directors of a quarterly cash dividend payable on October 27, 2016 to shareholders of record at the close of business on October 13, 2016 (the "Press Release"). A copy of the Press Release is being furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 of this Form 8-K Report as Exhibit 99.1.

The information in this Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, is being furnished and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liability of that Section, nor shall such information be deemed to be incorporated by reference in any registration statement or other document filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as otherwise stated in such filing.

Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits

- Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.
- (d)Exhibits. The following exhibit is being furnished herewith:
- 99.1 -- Press Release Dated September 29, 2016.

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.

JOHNSON OUTDOORS INC.

Date: September 29, 2016 By: /s/ David W. Johnson David W. Johnson, Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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<u>99.1</u>-- Press Release Dated September 29, 2016.

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