

F5 NETWORKS INC  
Form 8-K  
October 25, 2017

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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):  
October 25, 2017  
F5 Networks, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Washington                      000-26041      91-1714307

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

401 Elliott Avenue West  
Seattle, WA                      98119  
(Address of principal executive offices)      (Zip Code)  
Registrant's telephone number, including area code (206) 272-5555  
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:

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- ☐ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- ☐ 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. ☐

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On October 25, 2017, F5 Networks, Inc. issued a press release regarding its financial results for the fourth quarter ended September 30, 2017. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. The information in this report shall not be treated as filed for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Item 8.01 Other Events

On October 25, 2017, F5 Networks, Inc. announced that its board of directors authorized an additional \$1 billion for the Company's common stock share repurchase program.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits:

99.1 Press Release of F5 Networks, Inc. announcing quarterly earnings dated October 25, 2017.

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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.

F5 NETWORKS, INC.  
(Registrant)

Date: October 25, 2017 By: /s/ François  
Locoh-Donou  
François  
Locoh-Donou  
President and  
Chief  
Executive  
Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

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