

Texas Roadhouse, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
February 21, 2017

**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) **February 21, 2017**

**TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-50972**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**20-1083890**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**6040 Dutchmans Lane, Louisville, KY**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**40205**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(502) 426-9984**

**N/A**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On February 21, 2017, Texas Roadhouse, Inc. (the Company ) issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter and year ended December 27, 2016. Attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the press release.

ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS.

On February 21, 2017, the Company announced its first quarter 2017 cash dividend. The public announcement was made by means of a press release, the text of which is set forth at Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) EXHIBITS

99.1 Press Release issued by the company on February 21, 2017.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K at Item 2.02 and the Exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed to be filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. Such information will not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement filed by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, unless specifically identified therein as being incorporated by reference.

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

TEXAS ROADHOUSE, INC.

Date: February 21, 2017

By:

/s/ Scott M. Colosi  
Scott M. Colosi  
President and Chief Financial Officer

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**Exhibit No.**

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