TEGNA INC Form 8-K November 08, 2018

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): November 8, 2018 TEGNA INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware1-696116-0442930(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)(Commission File Number)(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

22107-0150

(Zip Code)

7950 Jones Branch Drive McLean, Virginia (Address of principal executive offices)

(703) 873-6600

(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:

[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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[] 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 c

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. c

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 8, 2018, TEGNA Inc. reported its consolidated financial results for the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 2018. A copy of this press release is furnished with this report as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits. Exhibit No. Description

99.1 TEGNA Inc. News Release dated November 8, 2018 (earnings release reporting TEGNA Inc.'s financial results for the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 2018).

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.

TEGNA Inc.

Date: November 8, 2018 By: /s/ Clifton A. McClelland III Clifton A. McClelland III Senior Vice President and Controller