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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC. 20549 Form 10-Q [X] QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2016 OR

[] TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from to Commission file number: 1-6383

MEDIA GENERAL, INC.(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)Commonwealth of Virginia(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

333 E. Franklin St., Richmond, VA23219(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)

(804) 887-5000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code) N/A

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year,

if changed since last report.)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Yes X No Indicate by check mark wheth

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate website, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Yes X No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Larger accelerated filer X Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer Smaller reporting company

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes No X

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock as of August 1, 2016. Voting Common shares (no par value): 129,323,690

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PART I - FINANCIAL INFORMATION Item 1. Financial Statements Media General, Inc. CONSOLIDATED CONDENSED BALANCE SHEETS (Unaudited, in thousands, except shares)

Ju	,	December 31,
20	2010	2015
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents \$2	\$25,378	\$ 41,091
Trade accounts receivable (less allowance for doubtful accounts 2016 - \$4,814; 2015 - \$4,634)	307,612	298,474
Prepaid expenses and other current assets 28	28,912	15,083
Total current assets 30	361,902	354,648
\$145,274)31Other assets, net31Definite lived intangible assets, net of accumulated amortization (2016 - \$183,625; 2015 - \$138,072)82Broadcast licenses1,Goodwill1,	31,225 328,945 1,097,100 1,544,624	470,537 38,070 871,129 1,097,100 1,544,624 \$ 4,376,108

See accompanying notes.

(a) Consolidated assets as of June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015, include total assets of variable interest entities (VIEs) of \$140 million and \$145 million, respectively, which can only be used to settle the obligations of the VIEs. See Note 1 and Note 3.

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Media General, Inc. CONSOLIDATED CONDENSED BALANCE SHEETS (Unaudited, in thousands except shares)

LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

	June 30, 2016	December 31, 2015
Current liabilities:		
Trade accounts payable	\$25,477	\$35,800
Accrued salaries and wages	28,078	21,465
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	97,052	95,500
Current installments of long-term debt	3,373	3,804
Current installments of obligation under capital leases	820	859
Total current liabilities	154,800	157,428
Long-term debt, net	2,201,751	2,199,110
Deferred tax liability and other long-term tax liabilities	304,665	315,234
Long-term capital lease obligations	13,790	14,012
Retirement and postretirement plans	176,045	182,987
Other liabilities	31,548	34,920
Total liabilities (b)	2,882,599	2,903,691
Commitments and contingencies		
Noncontrolling interests	2,890	24,447
Stockholders' equity:		
Preferred stock (no par value): authorized 50,000,000 shares; none outstanding	—	—
Common stock (no par value): Voting common stock, authorized 400,000,000 shares; issued 2016 - 129,322,905 and	1 200 227	
2015 - 128,600,384	1,299,327	1,305,155
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(31,224) (31,224)
Retained earnings	165,900	174,039
Total stockholders' equity	1,434,003	1,447,970
Total liabilities, noncontrolling interests and stockholders' equity	\$4,319,492	\$4,376,108

See accompanying notes.

(b) Consolidated liabilities as of June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015, include total liabilities of VIEs of \$34 million and \$38 million, respectively, for which the creditors of the VIEs have no recourse to the Company, except for certain of the debt, which the Company guarantees. See Note 1 and Note 3.

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CONSOLIDATED CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (Unaudited, in thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended		Six Months Ended	
	June 30,	June 30,	June 30,	June 30,
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Net operating revenue	\$362,706	\$320,523	\$706,169	\$617,257
Operating costs:				
Operating expenses, excluding depreciation expense	153,599	134,169	304,742	260,045
Selling, general and administrative expenses	76,158	79,051	154,479	159,521
Amortization of program license rights	12,076	12,047	24,142	23,805
Corporate and other expenses	18,101	12,366	28,453	25,017
Depreciation and amortization	40,337			