

DARLING INGREDIENTS INC.  
Form 8-K  
November 10, 2016

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date  
of  
report  
(Date November  
of 10, 2016  
earliest  
event  
reported)

DARLING  
INGREDIENTS  
INC.  
(Exact Name of  
Registrant as  
Specified in  
Charter)

Delaware                      001-13323    36-2495346  
(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer  
of Incorporation)            File Number) Identification No.)

251  
O'CONNOR  
RIDGE  
BLVD.,    75038  
SUITE 300,  
IRVING,  
TEXAS  
(Address  
of  
Principal    (Zip Code)  
Executive  
Offices)

(972) 717-0300

Registrant's  
telephone  
number,  
including  
area code:

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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

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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))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 10, 2016, Darling Ingredients Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing financial results for the quarter ended October 1, 2016. A copy of this press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The Company will hold a conference call and webcast on Friday, November 11, 2016 to discuss these financial results. The Company will have a slide presentation available to augment management’s formal presentation, which will be accessible via the investor relations section of the Company’s website. A copy of this slide presentation is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2.

The Company is making reference to non-GAAP financial measures in both the press release and the conference call. A reconciliation of these non-GAAP financial measures to the comparable GAAP financial measures is contained in the attached press release.

The information in this Item 2.02, including the exhibits attached hereto, shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated November 10, 2016 (furnished pursuant to Item 2.02).

99.2 Slide Presentation for November 11, 2016 Earnings Call (furnished pursuant to Item 2.02).

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.

DARLING INGREDIENTS  
INC.

Date: November 10, 2016 By: /s/ John F. Sterling  
John F. Sterling  
Executive Vice President,  
General Counsel

EXHIBIT LIST

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