

JACK IN THE BOX INC /NEW/  
Form 8-K  
December 17, 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): December 17, 2018

JACK IN THE BOX INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE                      1-9390                      95-2698708  
(State or other jurisdiction   (Commission File   (I.R.S. Employer Identification  
of incorporation)                      Number)                      Number)

9330 BALBOA AVENUE, SAN DIEGO, CA   92123  
(Address of principal executive offices)                      (Zip Code)

(858) 571-2121  
(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 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)

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))

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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 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

On December 17, 2018, Jack in the Box Inc. issued a press release announcing that the company is exploring strategic and financing alternatives to maximize shareholder value.

A copy of the press release is being furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is filed as part of this report:

Exhibit

No.      Description

99.1      Press Release of Jack in the Box Inc. dated December 17, 2018

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.

JACK IN THE BOX INC.

By: /s/ Lance Tucker

Lance Tucker

Executive Vice President

Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial Officer)

(Duly Authorized Signatory)

Date: December 17, 2018