GENESCO INC

Form 8-K

December 02, 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 of earliest event reported): December 2, 2016 (December 2, 2016)

GENESCO INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Tennessee 1-3083 62-0211340

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission (I.R.S. Employer File Number) Identification No.)

1415

Murfreesboro

Road37217-2895

Nashville.

Tennessee

(Address

of

Princizia Code)

Executive

Offices)

(615) 367-7000

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- " 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 December 2, 2016, Genesco Inc. issued a press release announcing results of operations for the fiscal third quarter ended October 29, 2016. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. On December 2, 2016, Genesco Inc. also posted on its website, www.genesco.com, commentary by its chief financial officer on the quarterly results. A copy of the commentary is furnished as Exhibit 99.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

In addition to disclosing financial results calculated in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), the press release and commentary furnished herewith contain non-GAAP financial measures, including adjusted selling, general and administrative expense, operating earnings, pretax earnings, earnings from continuing operations and earnings per share from continuing operations, as discussed in the text of the release and commentary and as detailed on the reconciliation schedule attached to the press release and commentary. For consistency and ease of comparison with Fiscal 2017's previously announced earnings expectations and the adjusted results for the prior period announced last year, the Company believes that disclosure of the non-GAAP measures will be useful to investors.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibits are furnished herewith:

| Exhibit Number | Description |
|----------------|--|
| 99.1 | Press Release dated December 2, 2016, issued by Genesco Inc. |
| 99.2 | Genesco Inc. Third Fiscal Quarter Ended October 29, 2016 Chief Financial Officer's Commentary |

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.

GENESCO INC.

Date: December 2, 2016 By: /s/ Roger G. Sisson

Name: Roger G. Sisson

Title: Senior Vice President, Secretary

and General Counsel

EXHIBIT INDEX

99.2

| No. | Exhibit |
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| 99.1 | Press Release dated December 2, 2016 |