RENT A CENTER INC DE

Form 8-K

August 17, 2017

**UNITED STATES** 

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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)

August 17, 2017

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RENT-A-CENTER, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

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Delaware 001-38047 45-0491516 (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) File Number) Identification No.)

5501 Headquarters Drive

Plano, Texas 75024

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(972) 801-1100

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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.

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).

<sup>&</sup>quot;Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12).

<sup>&</sup>quot;Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)).

<sup>&</sup>quot;Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)).

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On August 17, 2017, the Company issued a press release announcing key operating metrics for its Core U.S. and Acceptance NOW businesses for July 2017.

The press release containing this announcement is furnished as Exhibit 99.1.

None of the information contained in Item 7.01 or Exhibit 99.1 of this Form 8-K shall be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and none of it shall be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. Furthermore, this report will not be deemed an admission as to the materiality of any information in the report that is required to be disclosed solely by Regulation FD.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release issued on August 17, 2017, by Rent-A-Center, Inc.

#### **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.

RENT-A-CENTER, INC.

Date: August 17, 2017 By:/s/ Dawn M. Wolverton

Dawn M. Wolverton

Vice President – Assistant General Counsel and Secretary

## EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release issued on August 17, 2017, by Rent-A-Center, Inc.