TECO ENERGY INC Form 8-K April 12, 2016

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): April 11, 2016

I.R.S. Employer

Exact name of each Registrant as specified in its charter, state of

Identification

Commission File No. incorporation, address of principal executive offices, telephone number 1-8180 TECO ENERGY, INC.

Number 59-2052286

(a Florida corporation)

TECO Plaza

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

See the press release dated April 11, 2016, attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference, regarding recent developments in the regulatory approval process in New Mexico relating to Emera Inc. s pending acquisition of TECO Energy, Inc.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated April 11, 2016.

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.

Date: April 11, 2016 TECO ENERGY, INC.

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Charles A. Attal III Charles A. Attal III

Senior Vice President General Counsel and Chief

Legal Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description of Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated April 11, 2016.