

Alliance HealthCare Services, Inc  
Form 8-K  
December 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): December 8, 2016**

**ALLIANCE HEALTHCARE SERVICES, INC.**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)**

**DELAWARE**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**

**of Incorporation)**

**1-16609**  
**(Commission**

**File Number)**  
**100 Bayview Circle, Suite 400**

**33-0239910**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**

**Identification No.)**

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**Newport Beach, CA 92660**

**(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)**

**(949) 242-5300**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

**Not Applicable**

**(Former address of principal executive offices)**

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):

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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.**

On December 12, 2016, Alliance HealthCare Services, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing its receipt of a letter (the Expression of Interest) describing a non-binding proposal from Tahoe Investment Group Co., Ltd. (Tahoe), formerly known as Fujian Thai Hot Investment Co., Ltd, to acquire all of the outstanding shares of common stock of the Company that are not currently owned by THAIHOT Investment Company Limited (THAIHOT), an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Tahoe, at a cash purchase price of \$9.60 per share. The Board of Directors of the Company has authorized a Special Committee, comprised solely of directors not affiliated with Tahoe, to evaluate the proposal. The Special Committee has engaged independent legal counsel and intends to engage an independent financial advisor to assist in its evaluation of such proposal. In addition, the Special Committee has agreed to waive a provision in the Governance, Voting and Standstill Agreement, dated as of March 29, 2016, by and among the Company, Tahoe and THAIHOT that prohibits THAIHOT and its affiliates from proposing to acquire additional shares of the Company's common stock. The waiver is for the limited purpose of submitting the Expression of Interest to the Special Committee. The Expression of Interest and the press release announcing the Company's receipt thereof are attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and 99.2, respectively.

**Item 9.01: Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed with this Form 8-K:

- 99.1 Letter, dated December 8, 2016, from Tahoe Investment Group Co., Ltd. to the Board of Directors of Alliance HealthCare Services, Inc.
- 99.2 Press release, dated December 12, 2016.

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: December 12, 2016

/s/ Rhonda Longmore-Grund  
Name: Rhonda Longmore-Grund  
Title: Executive Vice President, Chief Financial  
Officer