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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) March 21, 2017

AT&T INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction 1-8610 (Commission **43-1301883** (IRS Employer

of Incorporation)

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208 S. Akard St., Dallas, Texas 75202
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code (210) 821-4105

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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.

Throughout this document, AT&T Inc. is referred to as AT&T. On March 21, 2017, AT&T closed its sale of \$1,430,000,000 principal amount of its 5.500% Global Notes due 2047 (the Notes) pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, dated March 2, 2017 (the Underwriting Agreement), between AT&T and BNP Paribas, Taipei Branch and Deutsche Bank AG, Taipei Branch, as the several Underwriters. The Notes were issued pursuant to that certain Indenture, dated as of May 15, 2013, between AT&T and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as Trustee. The Notes have been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Act) pursuant to a Registration Statement on Form S-3 (No. 333-209718) previously filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission) under the Act. Copies of the Underwriting Agreement, the form of Note and the opinion of our Associate General Counsel as to the validity of the Notes are filed as exhibits hereto and incorporated herein by reference. AT&T is filing this Current Report on Form 8-K so as to file with the Commission certain items that are to be incorporated by reference into its Registration Statement.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

The following exhibits are filed as part of this report:

- (d) Exhibits
- 1.1 Underwriting Agreement, dated March 2, 2017
- 4.1 Form of 5.500% Global Note due 2047
- 5.1 Opinion of Mr. Wayne A. Wirtz, Vice President, Associate General Counsel and Assistant Secretary, AT&T Inc., as to the validity of the Notes
- 23.1 Consent of Mr. Wayne A. Wirtz, Vice President, Associate General Counsel and Assistant Secretary (included in Exhibit 5.1)

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Signature

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.

AT&T INC.

Date: March 21, 2017 By: /s/ George B. Goeke

George B. Goeke

Senior Vice President and Treasurer