

FORWARD AIR CORP  
Form 8-K  
July 31, 2017

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

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CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 31, 2017 (July 25, 2017)

FORWARD AIR CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Tennessee	000-22490	62-1120025
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1915 Snapps Ferry Road, Building N  
Greeneville, Tennessee 37745  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (423) 636-7000  
Not Applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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.

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SECTION 5. CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT.

Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On and effective as of July 25, 2017, the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of Forward Air Corporation (the “Corporation”), amended the Amended and Restated Bylaws of the Corporation (the “Bylaws”), in accordance with Article IX of the Bylaws. The principal revisions to the Bylaws include the following: (i) additional disclosure and procedural requirements for shareholders to request a special meeting of the shareholders; (ii) additional disclosure and procedural requirements for shareholders submitting proposals and nominating directors; (iii) additional disclosure requirements for a director to be nominated to the Board; and (iv) certain clarifications to the Corporation’s indemnification of directors and officers (collectively, the “Amendments”).

The foregoing summary of the Amendments does not purport to be complete and is subject to, and qualified in its entirety by, reference to the full text of the Bylaws, as amended, which are filed as Exhibit 3.1 hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 9. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibits are being furnished as part of this Report.

No.	Exhibit
3.1	Amended and Restated Bylaws of Forward Air Corporation, as amended

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.

FORWARD AIR CORPORATION

Date: July 31, 2017 By: /s/ Michael J. Morris

Michael J. Morris

Chief Financial Officer, Senior Vice President and Treasurer

EXHIBIT INDEX

No. Exhibit

3.1 Amended and Restated Bylaws of Forward Air Corporation, as amended