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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): September 9, 2015

#### **CSX CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Virginia (State or other jurisdiction

1-08022 (Commission 62-1051971 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

**Identification No.)** 

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500 Water Street, 15<sup>th</sup> Floor, Jacksonville, Florida 32202
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (904) 359-3200

(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:

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- " 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 September 9, 2015, CSX Corporation (the Company) submitted a letter to United States Senator John Thune regarding potential consequences of not receiving an extension of the December 31, 2015 deadline for implementation of Positive Train Control (PTC) pursuant to the Rail Safety Improvement Act of 2008.

A copy of the Company s letter, dated September 9, 2015, to United States Senator John Thune is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

The information contained in this Current Report on Form 8-K under Item 7.01, including Exhibit 99.1 hereto, has been furnished and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to liability under that section. The information in this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing or document.

## **Forward-Looking Statements**

This information and other statements by the Company may contain forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act with respect to, among other items: projections and estimates of earnings, revenues, margins, volumes, rates, cost-savings, expenses, taxes, liquidity, capital expenditures, dividends, share repurchases or other financial items; statements of management s plans, strategies and objectives for future operations, and management s expectations as to future performance and operations and the time by which objectives will be achieved; statements concerning proposed new services; and statements regarding future economic, industry or market conditions or performance. Forward-looking statements are typically identified by words or phrases such as estimate, preliminary and similar expressions. Forward will, should, believe, expect, anticipate, project, statements speak only as of the date they are made, and the Company undertakes no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statement. If the Company updates any forward-looking statement, no inference should be drawn that the Company will make additional updates with respect to that statement or any other forward-looking statements.

Forward-looking statements are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties, and actual performance or results could differ materially from that anticipated by any forward-looking statements. Factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from those contemplated by any forward-looking statements include, among others; (i) the Company s success in implementing its financial and operational initiatives; (ii) changes in domestic or international economic, political or business conditions, including those affecting the transportation industry (such as the impact of industry competition, conditions, performance and consolidation); (iii) legislative or regulatory changes; (iv) the inherent business risks associated with safety and security; (v) the outcome of claims and litigation involving or affecting the Company; (vi) natural events such as severe weather conditions or pandemic health crises; and (vii) the inherent uncertainty associated with projecting economic and business conditions.

Other important assumptions and factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements are specified in the Company s SEC reports, accessible on the SEC s website at www.sec.gov and the Company s website at www.csx.com.

## Item 9.01. Exhibits.

- (d) The following exhibit is being furnished herewith:
  - 99.1 Letter, dated September 9, 2015, to the Honorable John Thune

#### **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.

## **CSX CORPORATION**

By: /s/ Frank A. Lonegro Name: Frank A. Lonegro

Title: Executive Vice President - Chief

Financial Officer

DATE: September 11, 2015

## EXHIBIT INDEX

# Exhibit

No. Description

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