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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) October 20, 2017

AT&T INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware1-861043-1301883(State or Other Jurisdiction(Commission(IRS Employerof Incorporation)File Number)Identification No.)

208 S. Akard St., Dallas, Texas75202(Address of Principal Executive Offices)(Zip Code)Registrant's telephone number, including area code (210) 821-4105

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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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## ITEM 8.01 Other Events

In accordance with the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of October 22, 2016 (the "Merger Agreement"), among Time Warner Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Time Warner"), AT&T Inc., a Delaware corporation ("AT&T"), West Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation and a wholly owned subsidiary of AT&T, and West Merger Sub II, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and a wholly owned subsidiary of AT&T, pursuant to a letter dated October 20, 2017 between AT&T and Time Warner, each of AT&T and Time Warner has elected to extend the October 22, 2017 "Termination Date" of the Merger Agreement for a short period of time to facilitate obtaining final regulatory approval required to close the merger.

In addition, on October 18, 2017, AT&T issued the attached press release.

ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits:

Exhibit No. Document

99 <u>Press release</u>

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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.

Date: October 23, 2017 AT&T INC.

By: <u>/s/ John J. Stephens</u> John J. Stephens Senior Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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