ARCHER DANIELS MIDLAND CO Form 8-K March 24, 2017

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 24, 2017

ARCHER-DANIELS-MIDLAND COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction 1-44 (Commission 41-0129150 (IRS Employer

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of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

77 West Wacker Drive, Suite 4600

Chicago, Illinois60601(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (312) 634-8100

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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 March 24, 2017, Archer-Daniels-Midland Company released a statement on its website regarding a temporary shutdown of its Decatur corn plant occurring in February 2017.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99 Statement on February Decatur Corn Plant Shutdown, dated March 24, 2017.

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.

ARCHER-DANIELS-MIDLAND COMPANY

Date: March 24, 2017

By /s/ D. Cameron Findlay D. Cameron Findlay

Senior Vice President, General Counsel, and Secretary

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