Solar Capital Ltd. Form 8-K October 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): October 24, 2017

Solar Capital Ltd.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or other jurisdiction

814-00754 (Commission

26-1381340 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

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500 Park Avenue, New York, NY (Address of principal executive offices)

10022 (Zip Code)

(212) 993-1670

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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 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.

Item 8.01 Other Events

On October 24, 2017, Solar Capital Ltd. (the *Company*) caused notices to be issued to the holders of its 6.75% Senior Notes due 2042 (CUSIP No. 83413U 308; NYSE: SLRA) (the *Notes*) regarding the Company s exercise of its option to redeem, in part, the Notes, pursuant to Section 1104 of the Indenture dated as of November 16, 2012, between the Company and U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee, and Section 1.01(h) of the First Supplemental Indenture dated as of November 16, 2012. The Company will redeem \$25,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of the \$100,000,000 in remaining issued and outstanding Notes on November 24, 2017 (the *Redemption Date*). The Notes will be redeemed at 100% of their principal amount (\$25 per Note), plus the accrued and unpaid interest thereon from November 15, 2017, through, but excluding, the Redemption Date. A copy of the notice of redemption is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Notice of Redemption of 6.75% Senior Notes due 2042

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.

SOLAR CAPITAL LTD.

By: /s/ Richard L. Peteka Name: Richard L. Peteka

Title: Secretary

Date: October 24, 2017