

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORP
Form 8-K
March 19, 2018

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 19, 2018 (March 16, 2018)

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Virginia (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) | 1-8339 (Commission File Number) | 52-1188014 (IRS Employer Identification Number) |
| Three Commercial Place Norfolk, Virginia 23510-9241 (Address of principal executive offices) | | 757-629-2680 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code) |

No Change
(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.

Item 8.01. Other Events

On March 16, 2018, the Registrant issued a Press Release, attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, regarding TRC Capital's (TRC) unsolicited mini-tender offer. The Registrant is not associated with TRC. Additional information concerning mini-tender offers is included in the attached press release.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is filed as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K:

| Exhibit Number | Description |
|----------------|-------------------------------------------|
| 99.1 | <u>Press Release dated March 16, 2018</u> |

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

SIGNATURES

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORPORATION
(Registrant)

/s/ Denise W. Hutson

Name: Denise W. Hutson

Title: Corporate Secretary

Date: March 19, 2018