

HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES INC  
Form 8-K  
December 27, 2016  
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: December 23, 2016

| Exact Name of Registrant<br>as Specified in Its Charter | Commission I.R.S. Employer<br>File Number Identification No. |
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| Hawaiian Electric Industries, Inc.                      | 1-8503 99-0208097  |
| Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc.                         | 1-4955 99-0040500  |

State of Hawaii  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1001 Bishop Street, Suite 2900, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813 - Hawaiian Electric Industries, Inc. (HEI)  
900 Richards Street, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813 - Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. (Hawaiian Electric)  
(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(808) 543-5662 - HEI  
(808) 543-7771 - Hawaiian Electric

None  
(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))
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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On December 23, 2016, Hawaiian Electric, and its subsidiaries, Hawaii Electric Light Company, Inc. and Maui Electric Company, Limited (collectively the "Hawaiian Electric Companies") filed with the Public Utilities Commission of the State of Hawaii (PUC), their Power Supply Improvement Plan (PSIP) Update, which incorporated input from the Parties in the proceeding, and includes alternative scenarios and sensitivity analyses and iterations on modeling as required by the PUC. The PSIP Update provides the Hawaiian Electric Companies' near term actions that will lead to the use of renewable resources to meet the state's 100% renewable portfolio standard goal by 2045.

The PSIP Update may be accessed by clicking "Selected PUC Filings" on the Investor Relations page of HEI's website ([www.hei.com](http://www.hei.com)). Alternatively, please visit <http://selectedpucfilings.hei.com>. These docketed filings are also made available by the PUC on its website at <http://dms.puc.hawaii.gov/dms> (Docket No. 2014-0183).

As a result of this filing, on December 23, 2016, Hawaiian Electric issued a news release, "Hawaiian Electric Companies submit updated energy plans." The news release is furnished as Exhibit 99.

HEI and Hawaiian Electric intend to continue to use HEI's website, [www.hei.com](http://www.hei.com), as a means of disclosing additional information. Such disclosures will be included on HEI's website in the Investor Relations section. Accordingly, investors should routinely monitor such portions of HEI's website, in addition to following HEI's, Hawaiian Electric's and American Savings Bank, F.S.B.'s (ASB's) press releases, SEC filings and public conference calls and webcasts. The information on HEI's website is not incorporated by reference in this document or in HEI's or Hawaiian Electric's SEC filings unless, and except to the extent specifically incorporated by reference. Investors may also wish to refer to the PUC website at [dms.puc.hawaii.gov/dms](http://dms.puc.hawaii.gov/dms) in order to review documents filed with and issued by the PUC. No information on the PUC website is incorporated by reference in this document or in HEI's or Hawaiian Electric's other SEC filings.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99 News release, dated December 23, 2016, "Hawaiian Electric Companies submit updated energy plans"

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrants have duly caused this report to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized. The signature of the undersigned companies shall be deemed to relate only to matters having reference to such companies and any subsidiaries thereof.

HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES, INC. HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.

(Registrant)

/s/ James A. Ajello

James A. Ajello

Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

(Registrant)

/s/ Tayne S. Y. Sekimura

Tayne S. Y. Sekimura

Senior Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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