**SOTHEBYS** 

Form 8-K

November 01, 2018

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON,

FORM 8-K

D.C. 20549

**CURRENT REPORT** 

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

November 1, 2018

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event)

Sotheby's

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-9750 38-2478409

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1334 York Avenue

New York, NY 10021 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(212) 606-7000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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 o

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. o

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On November 1, 2018, Sotheby's (the "Registrant") issued a press release discussing its results of operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018. This press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K. Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (c) Exhibits
- 99.1 Sotheby's earnings press release for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018

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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.

#### SOTHEBY'S

By: /s/ Kevin M. Delaney

Kevin M. Delaney Senior Vice President,

Controller and Chief Accounting Officer

Date: November 1, 2018

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Exhibit Index

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 <u>Sotheby's earnings press release for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018</u>

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