

PLUG POWER INC
Form 8-K
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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): **February 8, 2018**

PLUG POWER INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware
(State or Other
Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

1-34392
(Commission File Number)

22-3672377
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

968 Albany Shaker Road, Latham, New York 12110

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

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(518) 782-7700

(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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- 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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On February 8, 2018, Plug Power Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Company), released certain preliminary, unaudited financial results for the full year ended December 31, 2017 as part of a business update presentation. A copy of the slide presentation used during the presentation is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference in this Item 2.02. A reconciliation of the non-GAAP measures used in the presentation is being furnished as Exhibit 99.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 8.01 Other Events

On February 8, 2018, the Company conducted a business update presentation accessible by conference call and webcast. A copy of the slide presentation used during the presentation is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference. Among other things, the presentation provides certain preliminary, unaudited financial results for the full year ended December 31, 2017, and also conveys the Company's expectations regarding 2018 performance, the prospect for future growth in revenue, gross margin and free cash flow, and a potential strategic partnership for the China market.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K (including exhibits) is being furnished and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

| Exhibit Number | Title |
|-----------------------|---|
| 99.1 | <u>Presentation of Plug Power Inc. dated February 8, 2018</u> |
| 99.2 | <u>Reconciliation of non-GAAP measures</u> |

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.

PLUG POWER INC.

Date: February 8, 2018

By:

/s/ Paul Middleton
Paul Middleton
Chief Financial Officer