

PAPA JOHNS INTERNATIONAL INC  
Form 8-K  
July 12, 2018

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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): July 11, 2018

Papa John's International, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

0-21660                                  61-1203323  
(Commission File Number)   (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2002 Papa John's Boulevard  
Louisville, Kentucky 40299-2367  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(502) 261-7272  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A  
(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 July 11, 2018, Papa John's International, Inc. (the "Company") announced that the independent directors of the Company have accepted the resignation of John H. Schnatter as Chairman of the Board. Mr. Schnatter will remain on the Board. Olivia Kirtley, the company's Lead Independent Director, will lead the Board until a new Chairman is appointed.

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.

Papa John's International, Inc.  
(Registrant)

/s/ Joseph H. Smith, IV  
Joseph H. Smith, IV

Date: July 12, 2018 Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer