

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 25, 2016**

**Seaboard Corporation**

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

**1-3390**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**04-2260388**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**9000 West 67th Street, Merriam, Kansas**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**66202**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(913) 676-8800**

Not Applicable

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(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))

**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On February 25, 2016, Registrant issued a press release announcing earnings for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2015. The full text of this press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information furnished pursuant to Item 2.02, and the related press release included as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report, shall not be deemed to be “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release of Seaboard Corporation dated February 25, 2016 announcing earnings for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2015.

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

DATE: February 25, 2016

Seaboard Corporation

by /s/ Robert L. Steer  
Robert L. Steer, Executive Vice President,  
Chief Financial Officer

**PRESS RELEASE  
REPORT OF EARNINGS**

February 25, 2016  
Merriam, Kansas

The following is a report of earnings for Seaboard Corporation (NYSE MKT symbol: SEB) with offices at 9000 West 67<sup>th</sup> Street, Merriam, Kansas, (the “Company”), for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2015 and 2014, in millions of dollars except share and per share amounts.

	Three Months Ended		Twelve Months Ended	
	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2014	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
Net sales	\$ 1,303	\$ 1,676	\$ 5,594	\$ 6,473
Net earnings attributable to Seaboard	\$ 103	\$ 119	\$ 171	\$ 367
Net earnings per common share	\$ 88.70	\$ 101.72	\$ 146.44	\$ 311.44
Average number of shares outstanding	1,170,550	1,170,550	1,170,550	1,178,441

Notes to Report of Earnings:

In the fourth quarter of 2015, Seaboard recorded interest income of \$23 million, net of taxes (\$31 million before taxes), or \$19.49 per common share, for interest recognized on certain outstanding customer receivable balances in its Power segment. This interest income related to amounts determined to be collectible as of December 31, 2015, but previously had been considered uncollectible in prior years. This amount was fully collected by Seaboard in January 2016.

On December 18, 2015, the Protecting Americans from Tax Hikes Act of 2015 (the “2015 Tax Act”) was signed into law. The 2015 Tax Act reinstated and made permanent certain expired corporate income tax provisions that impact current and deferred taxes for financial reporting purposes. The annual effects of the provisions in the new law on current and deferred tax assets and liabilities for Seaboard were recorded in the fourth quarter of 2015. The impact was a tax benefit of \$13 million, or \$10.92 per common share, for each of the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2015, primarily related to certain income tax credits. In addition to this amount was a credit of \$17 million, or \$14.88 per common share, for each of the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2015, for the 2015 Federal blender’s credits (extended by the 2015 Tax Act through December 31, 2016) that was recognized as revenues in the fourth quarter of 2015. There was no tax expense on these transactions.

On December 19, 2014, the Tax Increase Prevention Act of 2014 (the “2014 Tax Act”) was signed into law. The 2014 Tax Act extended for 2014 only many expired corporate income tax provisions that impact current and deferred taxes for financial reporting purposes. The total annual effects of the provisions in the new law on current and deferred tax assets and liabilities for Seaboard were recorded in the fourth quarter of 2014. The impact was a tax benefit of \$11 million, or \$9.75 and \$9.68 per common share for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2014, respectively, primarily related to certain income tax credits. In addition to this amount was a credit of \$15 million, or \$13.20 and \$13.11 per common share for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2014, respectively, for the 2014 Federal blender’s credits that was recognized as revenues in the fourth quarter of 2014. There was no tax expense on these transactions.

As of September 27, 2014, Seaboard’s Pork segment sold to Triumph Foods, LLC a 50% interest in Daily’s Premium Meats, its processed meats division. Included in net earnings attributable to Seaboard for the twelve months ended December 31, 2014, is a gain on sale of controlling interest in subsidiary of \$40 million, net of taxes (\$66 million total gain before taxes), or \$34.14 per common share.

Seaboard Corporation today filed its Annual Report on Form 10-K with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission. Seaboard has provided access to the Annual Report on Form 10-K on its website at <https://www.seaboardcorp.com/investors>.