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) November 2, 2016

Seaboard Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-3390
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) File Number)

<u>04-2260388</u> (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

9000 West 67th Street, Merriam, Kansas

<u>66202</u> (Zip Code)

(Address of principal executive offices)

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

Not Applicable

(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) |
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| ٢1 | 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 November 2, 2016, Registrant issued a press release announcing earnings for the quarter ended October 1, 2016. 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 November 2, 2016 announcing earnings for the quarter ended October 1, 2016.

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: November 2, 2016

Seaboard Corporation

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

PRESS RELEASE REPORT OF EARNINGS

November 2, 2016 Merriam, Kansas

The following is a report of earnings for Seaboard Corporation (NYSE MKT symbol: SEB) with offices at 9000 West 67th Street, Merriam, Kansas (the "Company"), for the three and nine months ended October 1, 2016 and October 3, 2015, in millions of dollars except share and per share amounts.

| | Three Months Ended | | | | Nine Months Ended | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|--|
| | October 1, | | October 3, | | October 1, | | October 3, | | |
| | 2016 | | 2015 | | 2016 | | 2015 | | |
| Net sales | \$ | 1,330 | \$ | 1,411 | \$ | 4,006 | \$ | 4,291 | |
| Net earnings attributable to Seaboard | \$ | 75 | \$ | 3 | \$ | 209 | \$ | 68 | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Net earnings per common share | \$ | 64.42 | \$ | 2.59 | \$ | 178.67 | \$ | 57.73 | |
| Average number of shares outstanding | 1. | 1,170,550 | | 1,170,550 | | 1,170,550 | | 1,170,550 | |

Notes to Report of Earnings:

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