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RETRACTABLE TECHNOLOGIES INC Form 8-K February 08, 2017

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) January 31, 2017

Retractable Technologies, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Texas (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-16465 (Commission File Number)

75-2599762 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

511 Lobo Lane, Little Elm, Texas (Address of principal executive offices)

75068-5295 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (972) 294-1010

None

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):
o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On January 31, 2017, Retractable Technologies, Inc. filed a petition for a writ of certiorari with the Supreme Court of the United States to review the December 2, 2016 Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals decision in Retractable s case against Becton, Dickinson and Company.

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.

DATE: February 8, 2017 RETRACTABLE TECHNOLOGIES, INC. (Registrant)

BY: /S/ DOUGLAS W. COWAN
DOUGLAS W. COWAN
VICE PRESIDENT, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER, AND
CHIEF ACCOUNTING OFFICER

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