FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS CORP Form 8-K January 04, 2016

### **UNITED STATES**

### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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 4, 2016

**Frontier Communications Corporation** 

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

### **Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**001-11001** (Commission

06-0619596 (IRS Employer

File Number) Identification No.)

401 Merritt 7, Norwalk, Connecticut (Address of principal executive offices)

06851 (Zip Code)

(203) 614-5600

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

# Item 8.01. Other Events

On January 4, 2016, Frontier Communications Corporation announced the planned succession in the leadership of its Board of Directors, effective April 1, 2016. On that date, Pamela D.A. Reeve, currently Lead Director, will become Chairman of the Board and Mary Agnes Wilderotter will resign as a director.

A copy of Frontier s press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

# Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (d) Exhibits
  - 99.1 Press Release of Frontier Communications Corporation issued on January 4, 2016.

### **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: January 4, 2016

### FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION

By: /s/ Mark D. Nielsen

Mark D. Nielsen

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary