

VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC  
Form 8-K  
January 31, 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 January 31, 2017

(Date of earliest event reported)

**VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

*(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation)*

1-8606

*(Commission File Number)*

23-2259884

*(I.R.S. Employer Identification  
Number)*

1095 Avenue of the Americas,  
New York, New York

10036  
*(Zip Code)*

*(Address of principal executive  
offices)*

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 395-1000

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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- 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 8.01 Other Events.**

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein is a press release dated January 31, 2017, issued by Verizon Communications Inc. ( Verizon ).

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**(d) Exhibits**

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description</u>                                      |
|--------------------|---|
| 99.1               | Press Release dated January 31, 2017 issued by Verizon. |

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: January 31, 2017

**VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC.**

By: /s/ William L. Horton, Jr.

Name: William L. Horton, Jr.

Title: Senior Vice President, Deputy General  
Counsel and Corporate Secretary

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