CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS INC Form 8-K April 23, 2018

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): April 23, 2018 CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware 000-15867 00-0000000 (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2655 Seely Avenue, Building 5

San Jose, California

95134

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(408) 943-1234

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

oWritten 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)

oPre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

oPre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company "

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. "

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 23, 2018, Cadence Design Systems, Inc. ("Cadence") issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2018.

A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.01 and a copy of the commentary by the Chief Financial Officer of Cadence regarding Cadence's financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2018 is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.02, and the press release and the commentary are incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d)Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

<u>99.01</u> Press Release issued by Cadence Design Systems, Inc. on April 23, 2018.

299.02 CFO Commentary on Results of Quarter Ended March 31, 2018.

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.

Dated: April 23, 2018

CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS, INC.

By: /s/ John M. Wall
John M. Wall
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer