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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): October 30, 2015

AARON'S, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Georgia 1-13941 58-0687630
(State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) Number) Identification No.)

309 E. Paces Ferry Road, N.E.

Atlanta, Georgia 30305-2377 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (404) 231-0011

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- 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 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On October 30, 2015, Aaron's, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release to announce its financial results for the third quarter of 2015. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference. The information contained in this paragraph, as well as Exhibit 99.1 referenced herein, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933.

The press release presents the Company's net earnings and diluted earnings per share ("EPS") in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States ("GAAP") and in a format that is not in accordance with GAAP that excludes amortization expense related to the acquisition of Progressive and certain other items. The press release also presents the earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization of each of the Company's segments ("Segment EBITDA"). Segment EBITDA financial measures are presented as non-GAAP financial measures.

Non-GAAP financial measures should not be used as a substitute for, or considered superior to, measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with GAAP, such as the Company's GAAP basis net earnings and diluted EPS and the GAAP net earnings of the Company's segments, which are also presented in the press release.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits:

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated October 30, 2015

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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.

AARON'S, INC.

By:

/s/ Gilbert L. Danielson Gilbert L. Danielson Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer