HCP, INC. Form 8-K July 12, 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

July 12, 2017

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

HCP, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Maryland (State of Incorporation) 001-08895 (Commission 33-0091377 (IRS Employer

File Number)

Identification Number)

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1920 Main Street

Suite 1200

Irvine, California 92614

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(949) 407-0700

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

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)) 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 8.01 Other Events.

On July 12, 2017, HCP, Inc. announced that it has commenced a tender offer to purchase for cash up to an aggregate principal amount of \$500,000,000 of its 5.735% senior notes due 2021. The tender offer is being made exclusively pursuant to an offer to purchase dated July 12, 2017, which sets forth the terms and conditions of the tender offer.

A copy of the press release announcing the tender offer is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated in this Item 8.01 by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is being filed herewith:

No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated July 12, 2017.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: July 12, 2017

HCP, Inc.

By: /s/ Troy E. McHenry Name: Troy E. McHenry Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated July 12, 2017.