Diamondback Energy, Inc. Form 8-K February 15, 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 (Date of earliest event reported): February 14, 2017

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### DIAMONDBACK ENERGY, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware 001-35700 45-4502447
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

500 West Texas

Suite 1200 Midland, Texas

79701 (Zip code)

(Address of principal executive offices)

(432) 221-7400

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

#### Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the Registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 14, 2017, Diamondback Energy, Inc. issued a press release announcing financial and operating results for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2016. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit	Number	Description
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Press release, dated February 14, 2017, entitled "Diamondback Energy, Inc. Announces Fourth

Quarter 2016 Financial and Operating Results."

### **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 thereunto duly authorized.

# DIAMONDBACK ENERGY, INC.

Date: February 14, 2017

By: /s/ Teresa L. Dick Name: Teresa L. Dick

Title: Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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