
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): January 25, 2016

Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers Incorporated

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Canada
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-13425
(Commission File Number)

N/A
(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

9500 Glenlyon Parkway
Burnaby, British Columbia, Canada
V5J 0C6
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(778) 331-5500
(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 (see General Instruction A.2 below):

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.23e-4(c))
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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On January 25, 2016, Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers Incorporated announced that its board of directors has declared a quarterly cash dividend of US\$0.16 per common share, payable on March 4, 2016 to shareholders of record on February 12, 2016.

A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**(d) Exhibits**

Number	Description
99.1	Press release dated January 25, 2016 reporting a quarterly cash dividend payable March 4, 2016

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: January 25, 2016

Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers Incorporated

By: s/ Darren Watt _____

Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers Declares Quarterly Dividend

VANCOUVER, Jan. 25, 2016 /CNW/ - Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers Incorporated (NYSE and TSX: RBA) announces that its Board of Directors has declared a quarterly cash dividend of US\$0.16 per common share, payable on March 4, 2016 to shareholders of record on February 12, 2016. This dividend will be considered an eligible dividend for Canadian income tax purposes.

About Ritchie Bros.

Established in 1958, Ritchie Bros. (NYSE and TSX: RBA) is the world's largest seller of used equipment for the construction, transportation, agriculture, material handling, energy, mining, forestry, marine and other industries. Ritchie Bros. TM solutions make it easy for the world's builders to buy and sell equipment with confidence, including live unreserved public auctions with on-site and online bidding (rbauction.com), the EquipmentOne™ secure online marketplace (EquipmentOne.com), a professional corporate asset management program, and a range of value-added services, including equipment financing for customers through Ritchie Bros. Financial Services (rbauctionfinance.com). Ritchie Bros. has operations in more than 19 countries, including 44 auction sites worldwide. Learn more at RitchieBros.com.

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