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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) October 20, 2016 (Date of earliest event reported) October 19, 2016

ONEOK, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Oklahoma 001-13643 73-1520922 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

100 West Fifth Street; Tulsa, OK (Address of principal executive offices)

74103 (Zip code)

(918) 588-7000

(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 filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On October 19, 2016, we announced that our board of directors approved a cash dividend of 61.5 cents per share of common stock. A copy of the news release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

On October 19, 2016, ONEOK Partners, L.P. (ONEOK Partners) announced that the board of directors of its general partner, ONEOK Partners GP, L.L.C., a wholly owned subsidiary of ONEOK, Inc., approved a cash distribution of 79 cents per unit for the third quarter 2016. A copy of the news release is attached as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information disclosed in this Item 7.01, including Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 hereto, is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), or otherwise subject to the liabilities under that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 8.01 Other Events

On October 19, 2016, our board of directors approved a cash dividend of 61.5 cents per share of common stock, payable November 14, 2016, to shareholders of record at the close of business October 31, 2016.

On October 19, 2016, the board of directors of ONEOK Partners' general partner, ONEOK Partners GP, L.L.C., approved a cash distribution of 79 cents per unit for the third quarter 2016. The third-quarter distribution is payable on November 14, 2016, to unitholders of record as of October 31, 2016.

We own approximately 114.3 million common and Class B limited partner units and the entire 2 percent general partner interest, including incentive distribution rights, which together represented a 41.2 percent ownership interest in ONEOK Partners as of June 30, 2016. We receive our portion of the referenced third-quarter distribution in accordance with our ownership interests as provided under the terms of the ONEOK Partners partnership agreement.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Number	Description
99.1 99.2	News release issued by ONEOK, Inc. dated October 19, 2016 – Dividend. News release issued by ONEOK Partners, L.P. dated October 19, 2016 – Quarterly Distribution.

Exhibit

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Exchange Act, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

ONEOK, Inc.

Date: October 20, 2016 By:/s/ Derek S. Reiners

Derek S. Reiners Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and

Treasurer

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Exhibit Number Description

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- 99.2 News release issued by ONEOK Partners, L.P. dated October 19, 2016 Quarterly Distribution.

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