

Intrepid Potash, Inc.
Form 8-K
November 14, 2016

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): **November 9, 2016**

Intrepid Potash, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-34025
(Commission
file number)

26-1501877
(IRS employer
identification no.)

707 17th Street, Suite 4200

Denver, Colorado 80202

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(303) 296-3006

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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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 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On November 9, 2016, Intrepid Potash, Inc. (Intrepid) entered into a First Amendment to Amended and Restated Note Purchase Agreement (the Amendment) with each of the purchasers named therein (the Noteholders). The Amendment amends the Amended and Restated Note Purchase Agreement, dated as of October 31, 2016, by and among Intrepid and the Noteholders (the A&R NPA).

The Amendment extends until December 15, 2016, the deadline by which Intrepid is required to engage a nationally recognized investment bank for the purpose of assessing and evaluating and, if determined appropriate by Intrepid in its business judgment, pursuing potential strategic alternative transactions.

Except as amended by the Amendment, the terms of the A&R NPA remain unchanged. The description set forth above is qualified in its entirety by the Amendment, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 10.1 to this report and incorporated by reference into this Item 1.01.

Item 2.03. Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

The information set forth in Item 1.01 of this report is incorporated by reference into this Item 2.03.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
10.1	First Amendment to Amended and Restated Note Purchase Agreement, dated as of November 9, 2016, by and among Intrepid Potash, Inc. and each of the purchasers named therein

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.

INTREPID POTASH, INC.

Dated: November 14, 2016

By:

/s/ Margaret E. McCandless
Margaret E. McCandless
Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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