

Rice Midstream Partners LP  
Form 8-K  
February 23, 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 22, 2017**

**RICE MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP**  
**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**  
**of Incorporation)**

**001-36789**  
**(Commission**  
**File Number)**  
**2200 Rice Drive**

**47-1557755**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**  
**Identification No.)**

**Canonsburg, Pennsylvania 15317**

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**(Address of Principal Executive Offices)**

**(Zip Code)**

**(724) 271-7200**

**(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)**

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)

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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))

**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On February 22, 2017, Rice Midstream Partners LP (the Partnership ) announced its results for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2016. A copy of the Partnership s press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

**Exhibit**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
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99.1	Press Release dated February 22, 2017.
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**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.

**RICE MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP**

By: Rice Midstream Management LLC,  
its general partner

By: /s/ Daniel J. Rice IV  
Daniel J. Rice IV  
Director, Chief Executive Officer

Dated: February 22, 2017

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