

GRAPHIC PACKAGING HOLDING CO

Form 8-K

January 11, 2017

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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 (Date of earliest event  
reported): January 10, 2017

GRAPHIC PACKAGING HOLDING COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

001-33988

(Commission File Number)

26-0405422

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

1500 Riveredge Parkway, Suite 100

Atlanta, Georgia 30328

(Address of principal executive offices)

(770) 240-7200

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 8.01 Other Events

On January 10, 2017, the Board of Directors of Graphic Packaging Holding Company approved a share repurchase program under which management may repurchase up to \$250 million of shares from time to time through open market purchases, privately negotiated transactions and Rule 10b5-1 plans in accordance with applicable securities laws.

A press release announcing the share repurchase authorization is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
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99.1	Press release dated January 11, 2016 announcing the authorization of a share repurchase program
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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Date: January 11, 2017 By: /s/ Lauren S. Tashma  
Lauren S. Tashma  
Senior Vice President, General Counsel and  
Secretary