

SYSCO CORP  
Form 8-K  
September 21, 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): September 19, 2016**

**Sysco Corporation**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

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

**1-06544**  
**(Commission**

**74-1648137**  
**(IRS Employer**

**File Number)**  
**1390 Enclave Parkway, Houston, TX 77077-2099**

**Identification No.)**

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**(Address of principal executive office) (zip code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (281) 584-1390**

N/A

**(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)**

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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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**SECTION 5 CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT**

**ITEM 5.02 DEPARTURE OF DIRECTORS OR CERTAIN OFFICERS; ELECTION OF DIRECTORS; APPOINTMENT OF CERTAIN OFFICERS; COMPENSATORY ARRANGEMENTS OF CERTAIN OFFICERS.**

(d) On September 19, 2016, the Board of Directors (the Board) of Sysco Corporation ( Sysco or the Company ) increased the size of the Board from twelve to fifteen directors and elected Daniel J. Brutto, Bradley M. Halverson and Edward D. Shirley to fill the resulting vacancies, effective on such date. The Board expects to appoint Messrs. Brutto, Halverson and Shirley to various Board committees at the Board's regular meeting in November 2016, but the specifics of these appointments have not been determined. Each of Messrs. Brutto, Halverson and Shirley will receive customary compensation from the Company for serving as a non-employee director, in accordance with the Company's director compensation program as described in the Company's proxy statement for its 2015 annual meeting of stockholders, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 7, 2015.

There are no transactions between any of Messrs. Brutto, Halverson or Shirley and the Company that would be reportable under Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K, and no arrangements or understandings with any other persons pursuant to which they were selected. In addition, the Board has affirmatively determined that each of Messrs. Brutto, Halverson and Shirley is independent under the New York Stock Exchange independence standards and the Company's categorical standards set forth in Sysco's Corporate Governance Guidelines.

The Company's press release dated September 21, 2016 is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

**SECTION 9 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(a) Financial Statements of Businesses Acquired.  
Not applicable.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.  
Not applicable.

(c) Shell Company Transactions.  
Not applicable.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press release dated September 21, 2016

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Sysco Corporation has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Sysco Corporation

Date: September 21, 2016

By: /s/ Russell T. Libby  
Russell T. Libby  
Executive Vice President, Administration  
and Corporate Secretary

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