

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY/MN  
Form 8-K  
December 22, 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): December 22, 2016**

**WELLS FARGO & COMPANY**

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

**Delaware**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**

**001-2979**  
**(Commission**

**No. 41-0449260**  
**(IRS Employer**

**of incorporation)**

**File Number)**

**Identification No.)**

**420 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California 94104**

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 1-866-249-3302

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))

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

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibits are filed herewith in connection with the Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-202840) filed by Wells Fargo & Company with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

On December 22, 2016, Wells Fargo & Company issued the following Medium-Term Notes, Series K: Principal at Risk Securities Linked to the Lowest Performing of the S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Index and the Russell 2000<sup>®</sup> Index due June 22, 2018 (the Notes ).

The purpose of this Current Report is to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission the form of Note related to such issuance and the opinion of Faegre Baker Daniels LLP regarding the Notes.

(d) Exhibits

- 4.1 Form of Medium-Term Notes, Series K, Principal at Risk Securities Linked to the Lowest Performing of the S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Index and the Russell 2000<sup>®</sup> Index due June 22, 2018.
- 5.1 Opinion of Faegre Baker Daniels LLP regarding the Notes.
- 23.1 Consent of Faegre Baker Daniels LLP (included as part of Exhibit 5.1).

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.

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY

DATED: December 22, 2016

/s/ Neal A. Blinde  
Neal A. Blinde  
Executive Vice President and Treasurer

**Index to Exhibits**

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