

TENET HEALTHCARE CORP
Form 8-K
June 01, 2015

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: May 31, 2015

(Date of earliest event reported)

TENET HEALTHCARE CORPORATION
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada
(State of Incorporation)

1-7293
(Commission

95-2557091
(IRS Employer

File Number)
1445 Ross Avenue, Suite 1400

Identification Number)

Dallas, Texas 75202

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(469) 893-2200

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Item 2.06. Material Impairments.

On May 31, 2015, Tenet Healthcare Corporation (the Company) entered into a definitive agreement to sell its Saint Louis University Hospital to Saint Louis University (SLU). The transaction is subject to customary regulatory approvals and other closing conditions and is expected to be completed in the third quarter of 2015. In connection therewith, the Company concluded that it expects to record an estimated non-cash impairment charge of \$150 million to \$160 million pre-tax (\$95 million to 100 million after-tax) within continuing operations in the quarter ended June 30, 2015. The impairment-related charge is not currently expected to result in material future cash expenditures.

SIGNATURE

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

TENET HEALTHCARE CORPORATION

By: /s/ Daniel J. Cancelmi
Daniel J. Cancelmi
Chief Financial Officer

Date: June 1, 2015