

CITIZENS HOLDING CO /MS/  
Form 8-K  
October 30, 2017

**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**

**October 27, 2017**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)**

**CITIZENS HOLDING COMPANY**

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

**MISSISSIPPI**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**  
**of incorporation)**

**001-15375**  
**(Commission File Number)**

**64-0666512**  
**(IRS Employer**  
**Identification No.)**

**521 Main Street, Philadelphia, Mississippi**  
**(Address of principal executive office)**  
**(601) 656-4692**

**39350**  
**(Zip Code)**

**(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).

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12).

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)). Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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

On October 27, 2017, Citizens Holding Company (the Company ) issued a press release that announced the earnings for the Company for the third quarter of 2017. This press release, including accompanying financial highlights, is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On October 27, 2017, the Company issued a press release that announced the earnings for the Company for the third quarter of 2017. This press release, including accompanying financial highlights, is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated October 27, 2017, including financial highlights

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.

CITIZENS HOLDING COMPANY

BY: /s/ Robert T. Smith  
Robert T. Smith

Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer

DATE: October 30, 2017