

SOTHEBYS
Form 8-K
September 11, 2013

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

September 11, 2013
(Date of Report)

September 11, 2013
(Date of Earliest Event Reported)

Sotheby's
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	1-9750 (Commission File Number)	38-2478409 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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1334 York Avenue New York, NY (Address of principal executive offices)	10021 (Zip Code)
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(212) 606-7000

(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))

Item 8.01 Other Events

On September 11, 2013, Sotheby's (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that the Board of Directors is conducting a thorough review of the Company's capital allocation and financial policies as part of the Company's ongoing commitment to deliver exceptional shareholder value. The results of this review are expected to be presented to investors in early 2014. This press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press release of Sotheby's dated September 11, 2013.

SIGNATURE

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

SOTHEBY'S

By: /s/ Kevin M. Delaney

Kevin M. Delaney
Senior Vice President,
Controller and Chief Accounting Officer

Date: September 11, 2013

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