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| November 15, 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): November 15, 2016 | |

ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Nevada 001-34647 20-4672080
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

No. 3 Min Zhuang Road, Building 6, Yu Quan Hui Gu Tuspark, Haidian District, Beijing, PRC 100195

ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc.

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

+86-10-6900-5520

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 15, 2016, ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc., a Nevada corporation (the "Company"), issued a press release containing certain financial results for its third fiscal quarter and first nine months of 2016. A copy of the press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

As provided in General Instruction B.2 of SEC Form 8-K, such information shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, and it shall not be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or under the Exchange Act, whether made before or after the date hereof, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated November 15, 2016.

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.

ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc.

Date: November 15, 2016 By: /s/ Handong Cheng

Handong Cheng

Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description 99.1 Press Release dated November 15, 2016.