TEXAS PACIFIC LAND TRUST Form 8-K January 31, 2017 **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): January 31, 2017

TEXAS PACIFIC LAND TRUST

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Not Applicable1-73775-0279735(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification Number)

1700 Pacific Avenue, Suite 2770, Dallas, Texas 75201

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 214-969-5530

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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

Item Results Of Operations And Financial Condition. 2.02.

Texas Pacific Land Trust (the "Trust") hereby incorporates by reference the contents of a Report of Operations — Unaudited, announcing certain of its financial results for the three month and twelve month periods ended December 31, 2016, which was released to the press on January 31, 2017. A copy of the report of operations is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Report on Form 8-K.

Item Financial Statements and Exhibits.

9.01.

Exhibits.

(d)

99.1 Report of Operations - Unaudited of Texas Pacific Land Trust for the Three Month and Twelve Month Periods Ended December 31, 2016 and 2015.

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SIGNATURE

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

TEXAS PACIFIC LAND TRUST

Date: January 31, 2017 By:/s/ Robert J. Packer Robert J. Packer General Agent and Chief Financial Officer

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