AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC.

Form 8-K

August 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): August 31, 2017 (August 29, 2017)

Avis Budget Group, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-10308 06-0918165

(Commission

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) File (IRS Employer Identification Number)

Number)

6 Sylvan Way

Parsippany, NJ 07054 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

973-496-4700

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- oWritten communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On August 29, 2017, our subsidiary Avis Budget Car Rental, LLC ("ABCR") entered into a letter agreement with Ford Motor Company (the "Ford Agreement"), for the purchase of vehicles from Ford dealers for the 2018 vehicle model year. The Ford Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions related to Ford's guaranteed auction value program, which guarantees the price of certain vehicles purchased by ABCR when sold at auction. The Ford Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1, and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is filed as part of this report:

Exhibit	Description
No.	

Avis Budget Car Rental 2018 Model Year Program Letter dated August 29, 2017 between Avis Budget Car Rental, LLC and Ford Motor Company.\*

\*Confidential treatment has been requested for certain portions of this Exhibit pursuant to Rule 24b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, which portions have been omitted and filed separately with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

### **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 hereto duly authorized.

# AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC.

By: /s/ Bryon L. Koepke Name: Bryon L. Koepke

Title: Senior Vice President & Chief Securities Counsel

Date: August 31, 2017

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### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

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