

NORDIC AMERICAN TANKERS Ltd  
Form 6-K  
December 12, 2017

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER**  
**PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16**  
**OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**For the month of December 2017**

**Commission File Number: 001-13944**

**NORDIC AMERICAN TANKERS LIMITED**  
**(Translation of registrant's name into English)**

**Herbjørn Hansson, Chairman**  
**LOM Building, 27 Reid Street, Hamilton, HM 11, Bermuda**  
**(Address of principal executive office)**

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**INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM 6-K REPORT**

Attached as Exhibit 1 is management's discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations and the condensed financial statements of Nordic American Tankers Limited, or the Company, as of and for the nine months ended September 30, 2017.

This Report on Form 6-K is hereby incorporated by reference into the Company's registration statement on Form F-3 (File No. 333-218903) as amended, and filed with the U.S. 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, thereunto duly authorized.

**NORDIC AMERICAN TANKERS LIMITED**  
(registrant)

Dated: December 12, 2017

By: **/S/ HERBJØRN HANSSON**  
**Herbjørn Hansson**  
**Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President**