

HIBBETT SPORTS INC  
Form 8-K  
December 03, 2018

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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 29, 2018

Hibbett Sports, Inc.

(Exact Name Of Registrant As Specified In Its Charter)

Delaware                      000-20969    20-8159608  
(State of Incorporation) (Commission (IRS Employer  
File Number) Identification No.)

2700 Milan Court  
Birmingham, Alabama 35211  
(Address of principal executive offices)

(205) 942-4292  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2). Emerging growth company

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If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On November 29, 2018, the Board of Directors of Hibbett Sports, Inc. authorized the continuation of the company's existing 2015 Stock Repurchase Program (Program) until January 29, 2022. Prior to the Board's authorization, the Program had been scheduled to expire on February 2, 2019. As of November 29, 2018, we had purchased 4,854,316 shares of common stock at a cost of approximately \$114.1 million under the Program, leaving approximately \$188.0 million remaining for future stock repurchases under the Program's original authorization of \$300.0 million that was approved by the Board on November 19, 2015. The Program authorizes repurchases of our common stock in open market or negotiated transactions, with the amount and timing of repurchases dependent on market conditions and at the discretion of our management.

In addition to the Program, we also may acquire shares of our common stock from holders of restricted stock unit awards to satisfy tax withholding requirements due at vesting. Shares acquired from holders of restricted stock unit awards to satisfy tax withholding requirements do not reduce the Program authorization.

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.

HIBBETT SPORTS, INC.

December 3, 2018 By: /s/ Scott J. Bowman

Scott J. Bowman

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer