#### DARLING INGREDIENTS INC.

Form 8-K

December 15, 2017

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

#### FORM 8-K

#### **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date

of

report

(Date December

of 14, 2017

earliest

event

reported)

#### **DARLING**

**INGREDIENTS** 

INC.

(Exact Name of

Registrant as

Specified in

Charter)

Delaware 001-13323 36-2495346 (State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

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O'CONNOR

**RIDGE** 

BLVD., 75038

SUITE 300,

IRVING,

TEXAS

(Address

of

Principal (Zip Code)

Executive Offices)

Registrant's(972) 717-0300

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- "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 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

oEmerging growth company

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 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; 5.02. Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On December 14, 2017, Darling Ingredients Inc. (the "Company") announced that Patrick C. Lynch would be departing the Company and would no longer serve as Executive Vice President - Chief Financial Officer of the Company, effective as of such date.

Additionally, on December 14, 2017, the Company appointed Brenda Snell as the Company's Chief Accounting Officer.

Ms. Snell, who is 60 years of age, was appointed Vice President and Global Controller of the Company in September 2014. Previously, she held the positions of Vice President and Corporate Controller from January 2011 to September 2014, Corporate Controller from April 2005 to January 2011, Assistant Controller from December 1999 to April 2005 and Accounting Manager from February 1997 to December 1999.

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### **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 hereunto duly authorized.

### DARLING INGREDIENTS INC.

Date: December 15, 2017 By:/s/ John F. Sterling John F. Sterling

Executive Vice President and

General Counsel

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