

FIRST SOLAR, INC.  
Form 8-K  
April 05, 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): April 5, 2017

FIRST SOLAR, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware    001-33156    20-4623678  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)   (Commission File Number)   (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

350 West Washington Street  
Suite 600  
Tempe, Arizona 85281  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(602) 414-9300  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable  
(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:

- 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))
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Item 8.01. Other Events

On April 5, 2017, First Solar, Inc. issued a press release regarding its consideration of alternatives for the sale of its interests in 8point3 Energy Partners. A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference hereto.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
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99.1	Press Release of First Solar, Inc. dated April 5, 2017
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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.

FIRST SOLAR, INC.

Date: April 5, 2017 By: /s/ PAUL KALETA

Name: Paul Kaleta

Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary