

WASHINGTON GAS LIGHT CO  
Form 8-K  
March 10, 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): March 3, 2017

Commission File Number	Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter and principal office address and telephone number	State of Incorporation	I.R.S. Employer Identification No.
0-49807	Washington Gas Light Company 101 Constitution Ave., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20080 (703) 750-4440	District of Columbia and Virginia	53-0162882

Former name or former address, if changed since last report: None

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 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

On March 3, 2017, the Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia (PSC of DC) issued an Order approving an overall increase in rates for Washington Gas of \$8.5 million. This increase is based on a hypothetical 55.7% equity component of the Washington Gas' capital structure and an overall return of 7.57%, which retained the current return on equity of 9.25%. Washington Gas had requested an increase of \$17.3 million, assuming a 57.1% equity component and a 10.25% return on equity. Any appeal of the Order must be filed on or before April 3, 2017. Washington Gas is currently considering its options in this matter.

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.

Washington Gas Light Company  
(Registrant)

Date: March 10, 2017      /s/ William R. Ford  
   William R. Ford  
   Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer  
   (Principal Accounting Officer)