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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): April 3, 2018

KENNEDY-WILSON HOLDINGS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-33824 26-0508760

(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

151 S. El Camino Drive Beverly Hills, California 90212 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (310) 887-6400

N/A

(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 (see General Instructions A.2.):

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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). Emerging 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.

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS.

On March 20, 2018 (the "Authorization Date"), the Company's Board of Directors authorized the repurchase of up to \$250 million of the Company's common stock (the "Repurchase Program"). Since the Authorization Date through April 3, the Company has repurchased a total of 6,600,254 shares (through open market purchases and a privately negotiated transaction) at a weighted average price of \$17.49 per share totaling \$115.4 million. The Repurchase Program does not obligate the Company to repurchase any specific number of shares and, subject to compliance with applicable laws, may be suspended or terminated at any time without prior notice.

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.

KENNEDY-WILSON HOLDINGS, INC.

By:/s/ JUSTIN ENBODY Justin Enbody Chief Financial Officer

Date: April 3, 2018