

DUPONT E I DE NEMOURS & CO  
Form 8-K  
August 11, 2016

**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): **August 11, 2016**

**E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
Of Incorporation)

**1-815**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**51-0014090**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**974 Centre Road**

**Wilmington, Delaware 19805**

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(302) 774-1000**

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  - o 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 August 11, 2016 E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company and The Dow Chemical Company issued a joint press release regarding the European Commission's initiation of a Phase II review for the proposed merger of equals transaction of the two companies. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits:

99.1 Press Release dated August 11, 2016

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.

E. I. DU PONT DE NEMOURS AND COMPANY  
(Registrant)

/s/ Jeanmarie F. Desmond  
Jeanmarie F. Desmond  
Vice President and Controller

August 11, 2016