

ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT INC

Form 8-K

October 27, 2010

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 of earliest event reported)

October 27, 2010

Annaly Capital Management, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Maryland

1-13447

22-3479661

(I.R.S.

(Commission

Employer

(State or Other Jurisdiction

Identification

Of Incorporation)

File Number)

No.)

1211 Avenue of the Americas

Suite 2902

New York, New York

10036

(Address of Principal

(Zip Code)

Executive Offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 696-0100

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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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 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On October 27, 2010, the registrant issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2010. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release, dated October 27, 2010 issued by Annaly Capital Management, Inc.

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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.

Annaly Capital Management, Inc.

By: /s/ Kathryn Fagan

Name: Kathryn Fagan

Title: Chief Financial Officer

Dated: October 27, 2010