

Clearfield, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
February 01, 2017

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**Form 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event Reported): February 1, 2017

**CLEARFIELD, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Minnesota**

(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation)

**000-16106**

(Commission File Number)

**41-1347235**

(I.R.S. Employer Identification  
Number)

**7050 Winnetka Avenue North, Suite 100, Brooklyn  
Park, Minnesota 55428**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

**(763) 476-6866**

(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 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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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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Items under Sections 1 and 3 through 7 are not applicable and therefore omitted.

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On February 1, 2017, Clearfield, Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release relating to the Company’s defense of a patent infringement suit, which press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibit No.    Description

99.1            Press Release Issued by Clearfield, Inc. on February 1, 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.

**CLEARFIELD, INC.**

Date: February 1, 2017

By: /s/ Cheryl Beranek  
Cheryl Beranek  
Chief Executive Officer