

TENNECO INC  
Form 8-K  
October 11, 2016

**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 11, 2016 (October 11, 2016)**

**TENNECO INC.**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction of**

**1-12387**  
**(Commission File Number)**

**76-0515284**  
**(IRS Employer**

**Incorporation)**

**Identification No.)**

**500 NORTH FIELD DRIVE, LAKE FOREST, ILLINOIS**

**60045**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices)**

**(Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (847) 482-5000**

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:

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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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On October 11, 2016, Tenneco Inc. (the Company) announced that Brian J. Kessler, the Company's chief operating officer, had been elected to the Company's board of directors by action of the board of directors on that date. With the addition of Mr. Kessler, the Tenneco board of directors now has ten directors.

Mr. Kessler's election is described in the Company's press release, dated October 11, 2016, which is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

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

**(d) Exhibits.**

| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>                    |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 99.1               | Press release dated October 11, 2016. |

**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.

**TENNECO INC.**

Date: October 11, 2016

By: /s/ James D. Harrington  
James D. Harrington  
Senior Vice President, General Counsel  
and Corporate Secretary