Proto Labs Inc Form 8-K February 04, 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): February 4, 2016

Proto Labs, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State or other jurisdiction

(IRS Employer

of incorporation)

Identification Number)

5540 Pioneer Creek Drive55359Maple Plain, Minnesota(Zip Code)

(Commission File Number)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (763) 479-3680

Not Applicable (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))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 4, 2016, Proto Labs, Inc. issued a press release announcing its fourth quarter and full year 2015 financial results. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release of Proto Labs, Inc. dated February 4, 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.

Proto Labs, Inc.

Date: February 4, 2016 By:/s/ John A. Way John A. Way Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

	Description	<u>Manner of Filing</u>
<u>Number</u>	<u>:</u>	
99.1	Press release of Proto Labs, Inc. dated February 4, 2016.	Filed electronically