GNC HOLDINGS, INC. Form 8-K October 21, 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 20, 2016 GNC HOLDINGS, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter) Delaware 001-35113 20-8536244 (State of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.) 300 Sixth Avenue Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15222 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code) (412) 288-4600 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code) N/A (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 (see General Instruction A.2. below): Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) [] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) [] 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 8.01. Other Events.

On October 21, 2016, GNC Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") announced that its Board of Directors has authorized and declared a cash dividend for the fourth quarter of 2016 of \$0.20 per share of the Company's common stock. The dividend will be paid on or about December 30, 2016 to stockholders of record as of the close of business on December 16, 2016.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits:

Exhibit Number Description

99.1 Press Release, dated October 21, 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.

GNC HOLDINGS, INC.

Dated: October 21, 2016 By: /s/: Tricia K. Tolivar

Tricia K. Tolivar

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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