LINN ENERGY, INC. Form 8-K May 11, 2017

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) May 11, 2017 (May 11, 2017)

#### LINN ENERGY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 000-51719 81-5366183

(Commission (IRS Employer

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission | Identification | File Number)

No.)

600 Travis

Houston, Texas 77002

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area

code: (281) 840-4000

#### **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)
- "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))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company "

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 11, 2017, Linn Energy, Inc. issued a press release announcing its earnings for the quarter ended March 31, 2017, and its updated outlook for 2017. The press release is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

This Form 8-K and the exhibit hereto shall be deemed "furnished" and not "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement of the issuer.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibit.

Exhibit Number Description

Exhibit 99.1 Press release dated May 11, 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.

LINN ENERGY, INC. (Registrant)

Date: May 11, 2017 /s/ David B. Rottino

David B. Rottino

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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