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: March 1, 2018 (Date of earliest event reported)

QEP RESOURCES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-34778

(Commission File Number) 87-0287750

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1050 17th Street, Suite 800 Denver, Colorado 80265

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(303) 672-6900

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

| ck the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under a following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below): | ıny (| | | | |
|--|-------|--|--|--|--|
| 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)) | | | | | |
| cate by checkmark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this oter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter) | | | | | |
| an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any ew or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. | | | | | |

Section 5 – Corporate Governance and Management

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

On March 1, 2018, QEP Resources, Inc. (the "Company") announced that Margo D. Fiala, Vice President, Human Resources, would be leaving the Company effective March 30, 2018. Ms. Fiala will receive a severance package and pro rata retention bonus pursuant to the terms of the Company's recently announced executive retention and severance compensation program.

SIGNATURE

| Pursuant to the requirements of | f the Securities Exchange | Act of 1934, the re | gistrant has duly cau | used this report to be | signed on its beha | alf by the |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------|
| undersigned thereunto duly aut | thorized. | | | | | |

QEP Resources, Inc. (Registrant)

March 6, 2018

/s/ Richard J. Doleshek

Richard J. Doleshek

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer