bebe stores, inc. Form 8-K March 23, 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): March 22, 2017

bebe stores, inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

California 0-24395 94-2450490
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) File No.) Identification No.) 400 Valley Drive
Brisbane, CA 94005
(Address of principal executive offices)
Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (415) 715-3900

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#### Item 8.01 Other Events

On March 22, 2017, bebe stores, inc. issued a press release announcing that it is exploring strategic options. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference. Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

### (d) Exhibits

99.1. Press Release of bebe stores, inc. dated March 22, 2017.

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### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: March 22, 2017.

bebe stores, inc.

### /s/ Walter Parks

Walter Parks, President, Chief Operating Officer and Interim Chief Financial Officer