

UNIVERSAL TECHNICAL INSTITUTE INC  
Form 8-K  
February 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): February 23, 2017  
Universal Technical Institute, Inc.

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

1-31923

86-0226984

\_\_\_\_\_  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Commission  
File Number)

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

16220 North Scottsdale Road, Suite 100, Scottsdale, Arizona

85254

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address of principal executive offices)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 623-445-9500  
Not Applicable

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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 8.01 Other Events.

On February 23, 2017, Universal Technical Institute, Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing that the U.S. Department of Education (“ED”) has completed its review of the Company’s audited financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2016. As a result of the Company’s improved financial strength and compliance within ED guidelines, the Company will no longer be subjected to Heightened Cash Monitoring 1 restrictions under the Zone Alternative, imposed by ED beginning in October 2016. A copy of the press release regarding the Amendment is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The exhibit to this Current Report is listed in the Exhibit Index set forth elsewhere herein.

SIGNATURES

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.

Universal Technical Institute, Inc.

February 23, 2017 By: /s/ Chad A. Freed

Name: Chad A. Freed

Title: General Counsel, Executive Vice President of Corporate Development

Exhibit Index

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release of Universal Technical Institute, Inc., dated February 23, 2017