TECOGEN INC. Form 8-K September 18, 2018

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): September 17, 2018 (September 17, 2018) TECOGEN INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-36103 (Commission File Number) 04-3536131 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

45 First AvenueWaltham, Massachusetts2451(Address of Principal Executive Offices)(Zip Code)

(781) 622-1120 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

o 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 þ

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 8.01. Other Events

On September 17, 2018, Tecogen Inc. (the "Company") sent to its shareholders a letter describing the relevance and advantages of the Company's products as solutions for generating and delivering energy in light of vulnerabilities of the electric grid. This letter is being furnished as Exhibit 99.01 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. The information in this Item 8.01 and Exhibit 99.01 to this Form 8-K shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits (d) Exhibits The following exhibits relating to Item 8.01 shall be deemed to be furnished, and not filed:

Exhibit Description

- 99.01 Shareholder Letter dated September 17, 2018
- 99.02 Press Release dated November 15, 2012
- 99.03 Press Release dated November 10, 2011

SIGNATURES

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

By: /s/ Bonnie Brown

September 17, 2018 Bonnie Brown, Principal Financial & Accounting Officer