Apollo Global Management LLC Form 8-K December 21, 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

December 21, 2017

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

Apollo Global Management, LLC

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State of Incorporation)

001-35107 (Commission File Number) **20-8880053** (IRS Employer

Identification Number)

9 West 57th Street, 43rd Floor

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New York, New York 10019 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) (212) 515-3200

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

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 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On December 21, 2017, a consortium of investors including affiliates of Apollo Global Management, LLC (together with its consolidated subsidiaries, Apollo) announced in a press release that they have entered into a definitive agreement to acquire Voya Financial, Inc. s Closed Block Variable Annuity business. The foregoing description and the other information in this Current Report on Form 8-K are included solely for information purposes.

The information included in this Current Report on Form 8-K (including the exhibit thereto) is being furnished under Item 7.01, Regulation FD Disclosure and Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits of Form 8-K. As such, the information (including the exhibit) herein shall not be deemed to be filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, nor shall it be incorporated by reference into a filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.(d) Exhibits

Exhibit	
No.	Description

99.1 Press Release dated December 21, 2017.

EXHIBIT INDEX

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SIGNATURES

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.

APOLLO GLOBAL MANAGEMENT, LLC

Date: December 21, 2017 By: /s/ John J. Suydam

John J. Suydam Chief Legal Officer