

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.

Section 2 – Financial Information

ITEM 2.02 - Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On August 3, 2017, The Eastern Company issued a press release announcing financial results for its second quarter ended July 1, 2017. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.

Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

ITEM 9.01 - (d) Exhibits

(99) Press Release dated August 3, 2017.

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.

The Eastern Company

Date: August 3, 2017 By: /s/John L. Sullivan III
John L. Sullivan III
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer