

POPULAR INC  
Form 8-K  
February 19, 2016

**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 19, 2016**

**POPULAR, INC.**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Puerto Rico**  
**(State or other jurisdiction of**

**001-34084**  
**(Commission File Number)**

**66-0667416**  
**(IRS Employer**

**incorporation or organization)**

**209 Munoz Rivera Avenue**

**Identification Number)**

**Hato Rey, Puerto Rico**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**(787) 765-9800**

**00918**  
**(Zip code)**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

**NOT APPLICABLE**

**(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, 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)
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- .. 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))

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On February 19, 2016, Popular, Inc. issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors approved a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.15 per share on its outstanding common stock, payable on April 1, 2016 to shareholders of record at the close of business on March 11, 2016.

A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

The following exhibit shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

99.1 Press release dated February 19, 2016

**SIGNATURE**

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.

**POPULAR, INC.**

(Registrant)

Date: February 19, 2016

By: /s/ Javier D. Ferrer  
Javier D. Ferrer

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and  
Secretary