

FIRST BUSINESS FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.  
Form 8-K  
March 13, 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): March 8, 2018

First Business Financial Services, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Wisconsin 1-34095 39-1576570  
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer  
of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

401 Charmany Drive

Madison, Wisconsin 53719

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

(608) 238-8008

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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 (§ 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

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 3.03. Material Modification to Rights of Security Holders.

On March 8, 2018, the Board of Directors of First Business Financial Services, Inc. (the “Company”) redeemed the common share purchase rights (the “Rights”) issued pursuant to the Rights Agreement, dated as of June 5, 2008 (the “Rights Plan”), between the Company and Computershare Trust Company, N.A., effective as of the close of business on April 2, 2018 (the “Redemption Date”).

Under the Rights Plan, each outstanding share of Company common stock evidences one Right. The Rights will be redeemed at a redemption price of \$0.0005 per Right, payable in cash (the “Redemption Price”). The Redemption Price will be paid on April 12, 2018 to shareholders as of the close of business on the Redemption Date.

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**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.

March 8, 2018      **FIRST BUSINESS FINANCIAL  
SERVICES, INC.**

By:    /s/ Edward G. Sloane, Jr.  
Name: Edward G. Sloane, Jr.  
Title: Chief Financial Officer