

<u>Title of each class</u>	<u>Trading Symbol(s)</u>	<u>Name of each exchange on which registered</u>
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	RILY	Nasdaq Global Market
7.25% Senior Notes due 2027	RILYG	Nasdaq Global Market
7.50% Senior Notes due 2027	RILYZ	Nasdaq Global Market
7.375% Senior Notes due 2023	RILYH	Nasdaq Global Market
6.875% Senior Notes due 2023	RILYI	Nasdaq Global Market
7.50% Senior Notes due 2021	RILYL	Nasdaq Global Market

(Title of Class)

Not Applicable

(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 (§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 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On May 2, 2019, B. Riley Financial, Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing the commencement of its public offering of \$50,000,000 aggregate principal amount of senior notes due 2024. The Company expects to grant the underwriters a 30-day option to purchase up to an additional \$7,500,000 aggregate principal amount of senior notes in connection with the offering solely to cover overallotments. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

In addition, in connection with the public offering, the Company will be making road show presentations to certain existing and potential securityholders of the Company. The road show materials are attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2.

This Current Report on Form 8-K (and the exhibits attached hereto) may contain “forward-looking” statements as defined by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 or by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) in its rules, regulations and releases. These statements include, but are not limited to, the Company’s plans, objectives, expectations and intentions regarding the performance of its business, the terms and conditions and timing of the senior notes offering, the intended use of proceeds of the senior notes offering and other non-historical statements. These statements can be identified by the use of words such as “believes,” “anticipates,” “expects,” “intends,” “plans,” “continues,” “estimates,” “predicts,” “projects,” “forecasts,” and similar expressions. All forward looking statements are based on management’s current expectations and beliefs only as of the date of this report and are subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions that could cause actual results to differ materially from those discussed in, or implied by, the forward-looking statements, including the risks identified and discussed from time to time in the Company’s reports filed with the SEC, including the Company’s most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2018 and Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2019. Readers are strongly encouraged to review carefully the full cautionary statements described in these reports. Except as required by law, the Company undertakes no obligation to revise or update publicly any forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this report, or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events or circumstances.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release, dated May 2, 2019.

99.2 Road Show Materials.

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.

May 2, 2019 B. RILEY FINANCIAL, INC.

By: /s/ Phillip J. Ahn

Name: Phillip J. Ahn

Title: Chief Financial Officer and Chief Operating Officer