HMS HOLDINGS CORP Form 8-K July 02, 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): June 27, 2018

HMS Holdings Corp.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

0-50194 (Commission File Number)

11-3656261

per) (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

5615 High Point Drive, Irving, Texas 75038

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(214) 453-3000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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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 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On June 27, 2018, HMS Holdings Corp. (the "Company") entered into a Settlement Agreement (the "Settlement Agreement") with Dennis Demetre, Lori Lynn Lewis Demetre, John Alfred Lewis and Christopher Brandon Lewis in order to settle all matters pertaining to certain litigation commenced in July 2012 with respect to the case *Demetre v. HMS Holdings Corp.*, in New York State Supreme Court, County of New York.

As previously disclosed, on November 3, 2017, following a series of claims and counterclaims by the parties, a jury awarded the plaintiffs \$60,000,000 in damages. Pursuant to the terms of the Settlement Agreement, the parties agreed that the Company would pay \$20,000,000 to resolve all claims. The Company issued an accompanying press release related to the matter which is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number Description

99.1 Press Release dated July 2, 2018.

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.

HMS HOLDINGS CORP.

Date: July 2, 2018

By: /s/ Meredith W. Bjorck

Meredith W. Bjorck

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and

Corporate Secretary