ASSURANT INC Form 8-K November 05, 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): November 5, 2018

## Assurant, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 001-31978

DE (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 39-1126612 (IRS Employer

**Identification No.)** 

28 Liberty Street, 41st Floor

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# New York, New York 10005

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(212) 859-7000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(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 8.01. Other Events**

On November 5, 2018, Assurant, Inc. (the Company ) announced that the Company s board of directors authorized the repurchase of up to \$600 million of its common stock, which supplements the Company s existing authorization to repurchase common stock, of which approximately \$176 million aggregate cost at purchase remained unused as of November 2, 2018.

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

# Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 News Release, dated November 5, 2018.

## **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Assurant, Inc.

By: /s/ Carey S. Roberts
Carey S. Roberts
Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary

Date: November 5, 2018