EVERSOURCE ENERGY Form 8-K February 06, 2019

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 6, 2019 (February 6, 2019)

EVERSOURCE ENERGY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Massachusetts 001-05324 04-2147929

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer

of organization) Identification No.)

300 CADWELL DRIVE

SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS 01104

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (800) 286-5000

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

Section 8		
Other Events		
Item 8.01		
Other Events.		
On February 6, 2019, Eversource Energy issued a news release announcing that the Board of Trustees had approved an increase in the quarterly dividend to \$0.535 per share payable, on March 29, 2019, to shareholders of record at the close of business on March 5, 2019. A copy of the news release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.		
Section 9		
Financial Statement	s and Exhibits	
Item 9.01		
Financial Statements and Exhibits.		
(d)		
Exhibits.		
Exhibit Number 99.1	Description News release, dated February 6, 2019, issued by Eversource Energy announcing the dividend increase.	

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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.

EVERSOURCE ENERGY

(Registrant)

February 6, 2019

By: JAY S. BUTH

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Vice President, Controller and

Chief Accounting Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number Description

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