TC PIPELINES LP Form 8-K April 27, 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) April 27, 2018

TC PipeLines, LP

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-35358 52-2135448 (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) Number) GIRS Employer Identification No.)

700 Louisiana Street, Suite 700

Houston, TX 77002-2761 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (877) 290-2772

(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 April 27, 2018, TC PipeLines, LP (the "Partnership") issued a news release acknowledging statements regarding the Partnership by TransCanada Corporation ("TransCanada"), the ultimate parent company of the Partnership's General Partner, in its Quarterly Report to Shareholders for the quarter ended March 31, 2018. These statements were made in response to the recent Federal Energy Regulatory Commission actions of March 15, 2018 ("2018 FERC Actions").

Management expects to provide a further update on the potential impact of the 2018 FERC Actions at its first quarter earnings call to be held on Wednesday, May 2, 2018 at 10 a.m. (CDT)/11 a.m. (EDT).

A copy of the news release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and incorporated by reference into this Item 7.01.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

News Release of TC PipeLines, LP, dated April 27, 2018, acknowledging statements by TransCanada Corporation.

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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.

TC PipeLines, LP by: TC PipeLines GP, Inc., its general partner

By: /s/ Jon Dobson Jon Dobson Secretary

Dated: April 27, 2018

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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<u>99.1</u> <u>Corporation.</u>

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