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SYNIVERSE HOLDINGS INC Form 8-K August 14, 2017

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): August 14, 2017 (August 8, 2017)

SYNIVERSE HOLDINGS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-32432 30-0041666
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)
8125 Highwoods Palm Way 30-0041666
(Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

8125 Highwoods Palm Way Tampa, Florida 33647

Telephone: (813) 637-5000

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrants' principal executive offices)

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))

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."

[&]quot;Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On August 8, 2017, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Syniverse Corporation granted Mr. Robert F. Reich, its Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, an option to purchase 140,000 shares of common stock of Syniverse Corporation and a right to receive 80,000 restricted stock units and granted Mr. Timothy Moss, its Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, a right to receive 100,000 restricted stock units. The exercise price of each option is \$10.00 and each vests ratably over a four year period. The restricted stock units vest over a three year period with 50% vesting on the eighteen month anniversary of the grant date and the remaining 50% vesting on the three year anniversary of the grant date. All grants were made pursuant to the Syniverse Corporation 2011 Equity Incentive Plan.

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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.

Dated: August 14, 2017

SYNIVERSE HOLDINGS, INC. (Registrant)

By: /s/ Laura E. Binion Name: Laura E. Binion

Title: Senior Vice President and General Counsel