

# SPARK ENERGY, INC.

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**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): January 19, 2017**

**Spark Energy, Inc.**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)**

**001-36559**  
**(Commission  
File Number)**

**46-5453215**  
**(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)**

**12140 Wickchester Ln, Ste 100**  
**Houston, Texas 77079**  
**(Address of Principal Executive Offices)**  
**(Zip Code)**

**(713) 600-2600**  
**(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)**

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**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

Spark Energy, Inc. (NASDAQ: SPKE), a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), announced today that its Board of Directors has declared a quarterly cash dividend for the fourth quarter of 2016 in the amount of \$0.3625 per share of Class A common stock. This amount represents an annualized dividend of \$1.45 per share. The dividend will be paid on March 16, 2017 to holders of record of the Class A common stock on March 1, 2017.

The information contained in Item 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, is being furnished and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Exchange Act or the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, regardless of any general incorporation language in any such filings.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release of Dividend Announcement for the Fourth Quarter 2016

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## **SPARK ENERGY, INC. ANNOUNCES FOURTH QUARTER DIVIDEND**

HOUSTON, Jan. 19, 2017 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Spark Energy, Inc. (NASDAQ: SPKE), a Delaware corporation (“Spark”), announced today that its Board of Directors has declared a quarterly cash dividend for the fourth quarter of 2016 in the amount of \$0.3625 per share of common stock. This amount represents an annualized dividend of \$1.45 per share. The fourth quarter dividend will be paid on March 16, 2017 to holders of record on March 1, 2017.

### **About Spark Energy, Inc.**

Spark Energy, Inc. is an established and growing independent retail energy services company founded in 1999 that provides residential and commercial customers in competitive markets across the United States with an alternative choice for their natural gas and electricity. Headquartered in Houston, Texas, Spark currently operates in 18 states and serves 90 utility territories. Spark offers its customers a variety of product and service choices, including stable and predictable energy costs and green product alternatives.

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