

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): **December 12, 2016**

**COMSTOCK RESOURCES, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**STATE OF NEVADA**  
(State or other  
jurisdiction incorporation)

**001-03262**  
(Commission File Number)

**94-1667468**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

**5300 Town and Country Boulevard**  
**Suite 500**  
**Frisco, Texas 75034**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**(972) 668-8800**  
(Registrant's Telephone No.)

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)
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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))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events**

On December 12, 2016, we issued a press release, attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, announcing the completion of the divestiture of our South Texas natural gas properties.

The information in this Form 8-K and the Exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

Exhibit 99.1                      Press Release dated December 12, 2016.

**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, thereunto duly authorized.

COMSTOCK RESOURCES, INC.

Dated: December 13, 2016

By: /s/ ROLAND O. BURNS  
Roland O. Burns  
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## NEWS RELEASE

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*For Immediate Release*

### **COMSTOCK RESOURCES, INC. ANNOUNCES CLOSING OF SOUTH TEXAS DIVESTITURE**

**FRISCO, TEXAS, December 12, 2016** – Comstock Resources, Inc. ("Comstock" or the "Company") (NYSE: CRK) today announced that it has closed the previously announced sale of its conventional natural gas properties in South Texas. The Company received proceeds of \$26.7 million from the divestiture representing the sales price of \$28 million as adjusted for activity subsequent to the effective date. Comstock intends to use the proceeds from the sale toward funding its 2016 drilling program.

Additionally, the Company announced that it has expanded its hedging program for 2017 with the recent improvement in natural gas prices. Currently, the Company has hedged 50 million cubic feet per day of its 2017 natural gas production at \$3.32 per Mmbtu.

*This press release may contain "forward-looking statements" as that term is defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements are based on management's current expectations and are subject to a number of factors and uncertainties which could cause actual results to differ materially from those described herein. Although the Company believes the expectations in such statements to be reasonable, there can be no assurance that such expectations will prove to be correct.*

*Comstock Resources, Inc. is an independent energy company based in Frisco, Texas and is engaged in oil and gas acquisitions, exploration and development primarily in Texas and Louisiana. The Company's stock is traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol CRK.*