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BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC. Form 8-K February 27, 2017

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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 27, 2017

BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or other jurisdiction

001-35522 (Commission

04-3639825 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

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18500 Von Karman Avenue, Suite 1100, Irvine, California (Address of principal executive offices) Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (855) 361-2262

N/A

(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.):

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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))

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On February 27, 2017, Banc of California, Inc. announced that its Board of Directors has declared a quarterly cash dividend payment of \$0.13 per share on its outstanding Common Stock. The dividend will be payable on April 3, 2017 to record holders as of March 15, 2017.

A copy of the press release is attached to this report as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Banc of California, Inc. Press Release dated February 27, 2017.

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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.

BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC.

February 27, 2017

/s/ John C. Grosvenor John C. Grosvenor Executive Vice President, General Counsel and

Corporate Secretary

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Number Description

99.1 Banc of California, Inc. Press Release dated February 27, 2017.

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