

**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: October 07, 2015
(Date of earliest event reported)

Solar Capital Ltd.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

814-00754
(Commission File
Number)

26-1381340
(IRS Employer
Identification Number)

500 Park Avenue, New York, NY
(Address of principal executive offices)

10022
(Zip Code)

(212) 993-1670
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable
(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)
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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 October 7, 2015, Solar Capital Ltd. issued a press release. A copy of the Registrant's press release is attached hereto as Exhibits 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 [Press Release of Solar Capital Ltd. dated October 07, 2015](#)

SIGNATURE

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: October 07, 2015

SOLAR CAPITAL LTD.

By: /s/ Richard L. Peteka
Richard L. Peteka
Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit Index

Exhibit No.

99.1

Description

Press Release of Solar Capital Ltd. dated October 07, 2015

Solar Capital Ltd. Adopts Stock Repurchase Program

NEW YORK, NY -- (Marketwired - October 07, 2015) - Solar Capital Ltd. (the "Company") (NASDAQ: SLRC) announced today that its board of directors has authorized a new program for the purpose of repurchasing up to \$30 million worth of its common stock. Under the repurchase program, the Company may, but is not obligated to, repurchase its outstanding common stock in the open market from time to time provided that the Company complies with the prohibitions under its Insider Trading Policies and Procedures and the guidelines specified in Rule 10b-18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, including certain price, market volume and timing constraints. Unless amended or extended by the Company's board of directors, the Company expects the repurchase program to be in place until the earlier of October 7, 2016 or until \$30 million of the Company's outstanding shares of common stock have been repurchased.

Under the Company's prior share repurchase program, which expired on July 31, 2014, the Company purchased approximately \$56.6 million of stock in the open market.

The Company's board of directors authorized the new repurchase program because it believes the recent market volatility may cause the Company's common stock to be undervalued from time to time. The timing and number of shares to be repurchased will depend on a number of factors, including market conditions and alternative investment opportunities. In addition, any repurchases will be conducted in accordance with the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended. The Company has not yet been active in the current repurchase program and there are no assurances that it will engage in repurchases, but if market conditions warrant, the Company now has the ability to take advantage of situations where the Company's management believes share repurchases would be advantageous to the Company and to its shareholders.

About Solar Capital Ltd.

Solar Capital Ltd. is a closed-end investment company that has elected to be treated as a business development company under the Investment Company Act of 1940. The Company invests primarily in leveraged, middle market companies in the form of senior secured loans, including unitranche loans, as well as mezzanine loans, and equity securities.

Forward-Looking Statements

Statements included herein may constitute "forward-looking statements," which relate to future events or our future performance or financial condition. These statements are not guarantees of future performance, conditions or results and involve a number of risks and uncertainties. Actual results may differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements as a result of a number of factors, including those described from time to time in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Solar Capital Ltd. undertakes no duty to update any forward-looking statements made herein.

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