

**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) **November 21, 2017**

Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Maryland

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-14100

(Commission File Number)

33-0675505

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1950 Jamboree Road, Irvine, California

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

92612

(Zip Code)

(949) 475-3600

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(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. below):

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

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

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.

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

On November 21, 2017, William S. Ashmore notified Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") that he is accelerating his resignation as President and as a member of the Board of Directors from December 31, 2017, which was previously reported on a Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 7, 2017, to November 21, 2017. Mr. Ashmore's resignation as a member of the Board of Directors did not arise from any disagreement with the Company, known to an executive officer of the Company, or from any matter relating to the Company's operations, policies or practices. Mr. Ashmore will continue to receive his current salary and health benefits until December 31, 2017, the remainder of the term of his employment agreement. The terms of the Severance Agreement and General Release entered into on November 1, 2017 remain the same.

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.

IMPAC MORTGAGE HOLDINGS, INC.

Date: November 22, 2017

By: /s/ Ron Morrison
Name: Ron Morrison
Title: EVP & General Counsel