# 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)

May 10, 2018

# **DAVIDSTEA Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Canada (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 001-37404

(Commission File Number)

98-1048842 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

5430 Ferrier
Town of Mount-Royal,
Québec, Canada
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

H4P 1M2 (Zip Code)

(888) 837-0006

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

#### **Not Applicable**

(Former name of 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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o 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 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company x

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. x

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

On May 10, 2018, Emilia Di Raddo, a member of the board of directors of DAVIDsTEA Inc. (the "Company"), sent a letter of resignation to the Board (the "Resignation Letter") stating that she will be stepping down as a director, effective immediately. In conversations with other board members and in a press release made by a dissident shareholder of the company, Ms. Di Raddo expressed disagreement with certain statements made in the Company's proxy circular filed on May 10, 2018. A copy of the Resignation Letter is attached hereto as Exhibit 17.1.

#### **Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

Exhibit No. Description

### 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.

DAVIDsTEA Inc.

By: /s/ Joel Silver

Name: Joel Silver

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: May 14, 2018

#### Emilia Di Raddo, CPA, CA

May 10, 2018

# Private and Confidential (By E-mail)

TO: DAVIDsTEA Inc., And to the Directors thereof c/o Maurice Tousson, Chairman of the Board 5430 Ferrier St. Montreal, Quebec H4P 1M2

Dear Sirs,

### Re: Resignation as a Director of DAVIDsTEA Inc.

I the undersigned, hereby tender my resignation as a Director of DAVIDsTEA Inc., such resignation to take effect immediately.

Respectfully,

/s/ Emilia Di Raddo

Emilia Di Raddo, CPA, CA

c.c. Howard Tafler, CFO