## 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 2, 2016

# UNITED CONTINENTAL HOLDINGS, INC. UNITED AIRLINES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

**001-06033 001-10323** (Commission File Number) 36-2675207 74-2099724 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

233 S. Wacker Drive, Chicago, IL 233 S. Wacker Drive, Chicago, IL (Address of principal executive offices) 60606 60606 (Zip Code)

(872) 825-4000 (872) 825-4000 Registrant's telephone number, including area code

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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- 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 December 2, 2016, United Continental Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") resolved the previously disclosed investigation by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") related to the Port Authority matter. In particular, the Company consented to the entry of an order by the SEC (the "SEC Order"). According to the SEC Order, in connection with the institution of a flight route in 2011 between Newark, New Jersey, and Columbia, South Carolina, the Company violated the books and records requirements under Section 13(b)(2)(A) and certain internal controls requirements under Section 13(b)(2)(B) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"). Pursuant to the SEC Order, the Company agreed to cease and desist from violating such provisions of the Exchange Act and pay a civil penalty of \$2.4 million, and also agreed to certain reporting obligations (for a one year term) and cooperation obligations.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Exchange Act, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

By: Name:

/s/ Jennifer L. Kraft Jennifer L. Kraft Deputy General Counsel and Corporate Secretary Title:

Date: December 2, 2016