

Star Bulk Carriers Corp.  
Form 6-K  
September 14, 2016

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 6-K

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REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16  
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of September 2016

Commission File Number: 001-33869

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STAR BULK CARRIERS CORP.  
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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Star Bulk Carriers Corp.  
c/o Star Bulk Management Inc.  
40 Agiou Konstantinou Street,  
15124 Maroussi,  
Athens, Greece  
(Address of principal executive office)

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INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM 6-K REPORT

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the press release of Star Bulk Carriers Corp. dated September 14, 2016 titled “Star Bulk Carriers Corp. Announces Public Offering of Common Stock.”

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: September 14, 2016 STAR BULK CARRIERS CORP.  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Simos Spyrou  
Name: Simos Spyrou  
Title: Co-Chief Financial Officer

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| Exhibit No. | Name                                                                                                                                            |
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