Carbonite Inc Form 8-K December 26, 2014

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 24, 2014

CARBONITE, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

001-35264 (Commission

33-1111329 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

Two Avenue de Lafayette, Boston, Massachusetts 02111

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(Address of principal executive offices, including ZIP code)

(617) 587-1100

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 C.F.R. §13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On December 24, 2014, Carbonite, Inc. (the <u>Company</u>) issued a press release (the <u>Press Rel</u>ease) relating to the commencement by Copper Holdings, Inc., a Delaware corporation and wholly owned subsidiary of j2 Global, Inc., a Delaware corporation, on December 24, 2014, of an unsolicited tender offer to purchase all the outstanding shares of common stock of the Company. A copy of the Press Release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits. (d)

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press Release, dated December 24, 2014

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, hereunto duly authorized on December 24, 2014.

CARBONITE, INC.

By: /s/ Danielle Sheer Name: Danielle Sheer

Title: Vice President and General Counsel