

**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

**July 3, 2017 (July 3, 2017)**

Date of Report (date of Earliest Event Reported)

**NEWTEK BUSINESS SERVICES CORP.**

(Exact Name of Company as Specified in its Charter)

**MARYLAND**

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or  
Organization)

**814-01035**

(Commission File No.)

**46-3755188**

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**1981 Marcus Avenue, Suite 130, Lake Success, NY 11042**

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

**(212) 356-9500**

(Company's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed from 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 (§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

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.**

Effective as of July 3, 2017, the Company has eliminated the position of Chief Information Officer (“CIO”), and has consolidated the CIO function within the Company’s Information Technology Department in Lake Success, NY. As a result of the foregoing elimination and consolidation, Nilesh Joshi, CIO, has left the Company effective July 3, 2017. In addition, the Company has recently created the position of Director of Information Technology and retained Jesse H. Davis in this position.

The information in this report, including all exhibits attached hereto, shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, and shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

