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**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On March 9, 2017, National Beverage Corp. issued a press release announcing financial results for the periods ended January 28, 2017. This release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibit 99.1      Press release dated March 9, 2017 announcing the Company's financial results for the periods ended January 28, 2017.

**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.

National Beverage Corp.

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Gregory P. Cook  
Gregory P. Cook  
Vice President - Controller and Chief Accounting Officer

Date: March 10, 2017

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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