BARNWELL INDUSTRIES INC Form 8-K

March 07, 2019

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 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): March 7, 2019

BARNWELL INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Delaware 1-5103 72-0496921

(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1100 Alakea Street, Suite 2900 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(808) 531-8400

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since 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:

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. [ ]

<u>Item 7.01</u> <u>Regulation FD Disclosure.</u>

On March 7, 2019, Barnwell issued a press release announcing certain cost cutting measures and providing an update on its oil and gas operations.

A copy of such press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report.

<u>Item 9.01</u> <u>Financial Statements and Exhibits.</u>

(d) Exhibits Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated March 7, 2019

#### **SIGNATURE**

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.

Dated: March 7, 2019

BARNWELL INDUSTRIES, INC.

By:/s/ Russell M. Gifford Name: Russell M. Gifford

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

## Exhibit Index Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated March 7, 2019