## **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): October 27, 2014

<u>TREX COMPANY, INC.</u> (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 001-14649 (Commission File Number) 54-1910453 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

160 Exeter Drive Winchester, Virginia (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

22603-8605 (ZIP Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (540) 542-6300

<u>Not Applicable</u>

(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 (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))

## Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 27, 2014 Trex Company, Inc. issued a press release announcing financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2014. A copy of such press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

The information contained in this report on Form 8-K shall not be deemed to be filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section.

## Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Trex Company herewith files the following exhibit:

Exhibit Number	Description of Exhibit
99.1	Press release dated October 27, 2014

### 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.

TREX COMPANY, INC.

Date: October 27, 2014

/s/ James E. Cline

James E. Cline Chief Financial Officer

## Trex Company Announces Record Third-Quarter Sales and EPS

- Net sales increase 32% YOY to \$95.5 million
- EPS increases to \$0.28
- 4Q revenue guidance of \$70 million

WINCHESTER, Va.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--October 27, 2014--Trex Company, Inc. (NYSE: TREX), the world's largest manufacturer of wood-alternative decking and railing products, today announced financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2014.

Net sales for the third quarter of 2014 totaled \$95.5 million compared to net sales of \$72.2 million for the 2013 third quarter, an increase of 32.2%. The Company reported net income of \$8.9 million, or \$0.28 per diluted share, for the 2014 quarter compared to a net loss of \$15.3 million, or \$0.45 per diluted share, for the 2013 period. The Company's results for the 2014 quarter reflect a \$5.4 million increase in income taxes driven by the return to a normal tax rate after exiting its tax valuation allowance at year-end 2013. The tax increase impacted earnings per share by \$0.17 as compared to the prior-year period. During the 2013 third quarter, the Company recognized \$22.9 million of charges, which included a \$20.0 million increase to its warranty reserve for decking material manufactured at its Nevada plant prior to 2007. Before giving effect to these charges, operating income for the 2013 quarter would have been \$7.7 million.

Chairman, President and CEO Ronald W. Kaplan commented, "Our third-quarter and year-to-date financial performance set records for Trex in both sales and earnings per share. These outstanding results were fueled by our four guiding principles for enhancing shareholder value – our best-in-class outdoor living product platform, branding strength, distribution power and low-cost manufacturing advantage. Our strong execution in each of these areas has also put us on track for a record year. In addition, our many strategic initiatives, including international sales, commercial products, steel substructures, landscape and deck lights and licensed products, are contributing to our success.

"The start-up of the first polyethylene pellet manufacturing line for our entry into commercial business applications is proceeding well. Our entry into this market will enable us to leverage our Company's core recycling and extrusion capabilities, adding significant value to our surplus recycled polyethylene film supplies. We sold product from our first line in the third quarter and will begin the build-out of the three additional lines during the first half of 2015. "For the fourth quarter of 2014, we expect net sales to reach \$70 million, representing year-over-year growth of 10%. This will bring our revenue for 2014 to approximately \$388 million – the highest sales in the Company's history, breaking the record set last year and reflecting 13% growth from that mark. This progress exemplifies the execution of our market share advancement initiatives. Furthermore, this milestone will be a testament to the talents and dedication of the entire Trex team."

For the nine months ended September 30, 2014, the Company reported net sales of \$317.5 million compared to net sales of \$278.7 million for the prior-year period, an increase of 13.9%. The Company reported net income of \$36.4 million, or \$1.10 per diluted share, for the first nine months of 2014 compared to net income of \$19.5 million, or \$0.56 per diluted share, for the 2013 period. The Company's results for 2014 reflect a \$21.6 million increase in income taxes due to exiting its tax valuation allowance at year-end 2013. The change in tax rate impacted earnings per share by \$0.64 as compared to the 2013 period. During the 2013 period, the Company recognized \$24.8 million of charges, which included a \$20.0 million increase to its warranty reserve. Before giving effect to these charges, operating income for the 2013 period would have been \$45.2 million.

## **Share Repurchase Program**

The Company also announced that its Board of Directors has authorized a common stock repurchase program of up to two million of the Company's outstanding common stock. There is no guarantee as to the exact number of shares that will be repurchased under the program, or that there will be any repurchases pursuant to the program. In addition, the stock repurchase program may be suspended, extended or terminated by the Company at any time without prior notice.

## Third-Quarter 2014 Conference Call and Webcast Information

Trex will hold a conference call to discuss its third-quarter 2014 results on Monday, October 27, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. ET. To participate in the live call by telephone, please dial 706-634-1218 or 888-803-7638 and reference conference ID #17810668. A live webcast of the conference call will also be available in the Investor Relations section of the Trex Company website at trex.com.

For those who cannot listen to the live broadcast, an audio replay of the earnings call will be available on the Trex website for 30 days.

## **Forward-Looking Statements**

The statements in this press release regarding the Company's expected future performance and condition constitute "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These statements are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause the Company's actual operating results to differ materially. Such risks and uncertainties include the extent of market acceptance of the Company's products; the costs associated with the development and launch of new products and the market acceptance of such new products; the sensitivity of the Company's business to general economic conditions; the impact of weather-related demand fluctuations on inventory levels in the distribution channel and sales of the Company's product; the Company's ability to obtain raw materials at acceptable prices; the Company's ability to maintain product quality and product performance at an acceptable cost; the level of expenses associated with product replacement and consumer relations expenses related to product quality; and the highly competitive markets in which the Company operates. Documents filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by the Company, including in particular its latest annual report on Form 10-K and quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, discuss some of the important factors that could cause the Company's actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied in these forward-looking statements. The Company expressly disclaims any obligation to update or revise publicly any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

## **About Trex Company**

Trex Company is the world's largest manufacturer of wood-alternative decking and railing, with more than 20 years of product experience. Stocked in more than 6,700 retail locations throughout the world, Trex<sup>®</sup> outdoor living products offer a wide range of style options with fewer ongoing maintenance requirements than wood, as well as a truly environmentally responsible choice. For more information, visit trex.com.

#### TREX COMPANY, INC. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income (In thousands, except share and per share data) (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended September 30,			Nine Months Ended September 30,				
	2014		2013		2014			2013
Net sales	\$	95,502	\$	72,249	\$	317,458	\$	278,680
Cost of sales		65,133		72,098		203,897		199,747
Gross profit		30,369		151		113,561		78,933
Selling, general and administrative expenses		15,902		15,375		54,468		58,609
Income (loss) from operations		14,467		(15,224)		59,093		20,324
Interest expense, net		167		70		791		531
Income (loss) before income taxes		14,300		(15,294)		58,302		19,793
Provision for income taxes		5,387		4		21,934		298
Net income (loss)	\$	8,913	\$	(15,298)	\$	36,368	\$	19,495
Basic earnings (loss) per common share	\$	0.28	\$	(0.45)	\$	1.12	\$	0.58
Basic weighted average common shares outstanding		31,606,264		33,660,212		32,538,832		33,772,710
Diluted earnings (loss) per common share	\$	0.28	\$	(0.45)	\$	1.10	\$	0.56
Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding		32,008,781		33,660,212		32,966,317		34,506,910
Comprehensive income (loss)	\$	8,913	\$	(15,298)	\$	36,368	\$	19,495

#### TREX COMPANY, INC. Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (In thousands) (Unaudited)

	Sep	otember 30, 2014	Dee	cember 31, 2013
Assets				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	3,841	\$	3,772
Accounts receivable, net		44,977		37,338
Inventories		14,639		22,428
Prepaid expenses and other assets		3,279		3,145
Deferred income taxes		9,497		9,497
Total current assets		76,233		76,180
Property, plant and equipment, net		98,199		100,783
Goodwill and other intangibles		10,536		10,542
Other assets		897		652
Total assets	\$	185,865	\$	188,157
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	12,864	\$	14,891
Accrued expenses		24,275		23,295
Accrued warranty		8,500		9,000
Line of credit		3,000		-
Total current liabilities		48,639		47,186
Deferred income taxes		360		360
Non-current accrued warranty		27,587		31,812
Other long-term liabilities		2,164		2,183
Total liabilities		78,750		81,541
Stockholders' equity:				
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value, 3,000,000 shares authorized; none issued and outstanding		-		-
Common stock, \$0.01 par value, 80,000,000 shares authorized; 34,783,546 and 34,598,124 shares issued and 32,003,117 and 33,475,614 shares outstanding at				
September 30, 2014 and December 31, 2013, respectively		348		173
Additional paid-in capital		115,623		101,667
Retained earnings		66,144		29,776
Treasury stock, at cost, 2,780,429 and 1,122,510 shares at September 30, 2014 and December 31, 2013, respectively		(75,000)		(25,000)
Total stockholders' equity		107,115		106,616
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	185,865	\$	188,157

#### TREX COMPANY, INC. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (In thousands) (Unaudited)

		Nine Months Ended September 30,				
	2014			2013		
Operating Activities						
Net income	\$	36,368	\$	19,495		
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	Ψ	50,500	Ψ	10,400		
Depreciation and amortization		11,449		12,444		
Deferred income taxes		-		(2,991)		
Stock-based compensation		3,672		2,781		
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment		169		587		
Excess tax benefits from stock compensation		(12,677)		(2,567)		
Other non-cash adjustments		(245)		(337)		
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		(240)		(557)		
Accounts receivable		(7,698)		2,543		
Inventories		7,789		6,343		
Prepaid expenses and other assets		(415)		447		
Accounts payable		(2,027)		(4,488)		
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		(3,690)		16,775		
Income taxes receivable/payable		12,630		2,633		
Net cash provided by operating activities		45,325		53,665		
Net cash provided by operating activities		40,020		33,003		
Investing Activities						
Expenditures for property, plant and equipment		(8,794)		(8,971)		
Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment		48		176		
Purchase of acquired company, net of cash acquired		(44)		1/0		
Notes receivable, net		59		78		
Net cash used in investing activities		(8,731)		(8,717)		
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Financing Activities						
Financing costs		-		(73)		
Borrowings under line of credit		139,000		74,500		
Principal payments under line of credit		(136,000)		(79,500)		
Repurchases of common stock		(52,892)		(28,445)		
Proceeds from employee stock purchase and option plans		690		3,427		
Excess tax benefits from stock compensation		12,677		2,567		
Net cash used in financing activities		(36,525)	-	(27,524)		
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		69	-	17,424		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		3,772		2,159		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	3,841	\$	19,583		
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Supplemental Disclosure:						
Cash paid for interest, net of capitalized interest	\$	498	\$	348		
Cash paid for income taxes, net	ŝ	9,342	\$	696		
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