

**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 6, 2022**

**BED BATH & BEYOND INC.**

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**New York**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**0-20214**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**11-2250488**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**650 Liberty Avenue**  
**Union, New Jersey 07083**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (908) 688-0888**

**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 (see General Instructions 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))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

| Title of each class           | Trading<br>Symbol(s) | Name of each exchange<br>on which registered                 |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|--|
| Common Stock, \$.01 par value | BBBY                 | The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC<br>(Nasdaq Global Select Market) |

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 8.01. Other Events

### The Exchange Offers and the Consent Solicitations

On December 6, 2022, Bed Bath & Beyond Inc. (the “**Company**”) issued a press release announcing that it further extended its previously announced offers to exchange (the “**Exchange Offers**”) any and all of its outstanding:

(i) 3.749% Senior Notes due 2024 (the “**2024 Notes**”) for new 3.693% Senior Second Lien Secured Non-Convertible Notes due 2027 (the “**New Second Lien Non-Convertible Notes**”) and/or new 8.821% Senior Second Lien Secured Convertible Notes due 2027 (the “**New Second Lien Convertible Notes**”), at the option of the holder of the 2024 Notes;

(ii) 4.915% Senior Notes due 2034 (the “**2034 Notes**”) for new 12.000% Senior Third Lien Secured Convertible Notes due 2029 (the “**New Third Lien Convertible Notes**”) and, together with the New Second Lien Non-Convertible Notes and the New Second Lien Convertible Notes, the “**New Notes**”); and

(iii) 5.165% Senior Notes due 2044 (the “**2044 Notes**”) and, collectively with the 2024 Notes and the 2034 notes, the “**Old Notes**”) for New Third Lien Convertible Notes,

in each case upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Registration Statement on Form S-4 (as amended, including a prospectus and consent solicitation statement forming a part thereof, the “**Prospectus**”) filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the “**SEC**”) on October 18, 2022 (the “**Registration Statement**”). In connection with the Exchange Offers, the Company is also soliciting consents to amend the indenture governing the Old Notes (the “**Consent Solicitations**”). A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Each of the Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations, which were previously scheduled to expire at 11:59 p.m., New York City time, on December 5, 2022, has been extended until 11:59 p.m., New York City time, on December 19, 2022 (as such time and date may be further extended, the “**Expiration Time**”). Tenders of Old Notes may be withdrawn at any time at or prior to the Expiration Time (the “**Withdrawal Deadline**”), but not thereafter, subject to limited exceptions and except as otherwise required by applicable law, unless extended.

Except for the extension of the Expiration Time and Withdrawal Deadline, all other terms of the Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations remain unchanged.

As of 11:59 p.m., New York City time, on December 5, 2022, which was the previous expiration time for the Exchange Offers, the principal amounts of Old Notes validly tendered and not validly withdrawn, as advised by Global Bondholder Services Corporation, the exchange agent for the exchange offers, are set forth in the table below:

| <u>Title of Old Notes to be Tendered</u> | <u>CUSIP Number</u> | <u>Outstanding Principal Amount</u> | <u>Principal Amount Tendered</u> | <u>Approximate Percentage of Old Notes Tendered</u> |
|--|---------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| 3.749% Senior Unsecured Notes due 2024   | 075896<br>AA8       | \$ 215,404,500                      | \$37,864,000                     | 17.58%  |
| 4.915% Senior Unsecured Notes due 2034   | 075896<br>AB6       | \$ 209,712,000                      | \$52,212,000                     | 24.90%  |
| 5.165% Senior Unsecured Notes due 2044   | 075896<br>AC4       | \$ 604,820,000                      | \$67,510,000                     | 11.16%  |

As of December 5, 2022 we had a total of approximately 117.3 million shares of common stock outstanding.

The Exchange Offers and the Consent Solicitations are being made only by and pursuant to the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Registration Statement, including the Prospectus, and the information summarized herein is qualified by reference to such Prospectus and the Registration Statement.

## Forward-looking statements

This Current Report on Form 8-K (including Exhibit 99.1 hereto) contains “forward-looking statements” within the meaning of Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements and any such forward-looking statements are qualified in their entirety by reference to the following cautionary statements. All forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of this Form 8-K and are based on current expectations and involve a number of assumptions, risks, and uncertainties that could cause the actual results to differ materially from such forward-looking statements, including our ability to successfully consummate the Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations. Readers are strongly encouraged to read the full cautionary statements contained in the Company’s filings with the SEC, including the risk factors set forth in the Registration Statement. The Company disclaims any obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements.

## Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

| Exhibit No. | Description of Exhibit   |
|-------------|--|
| 99.1        | <a href="#">Press Release issued by the Company on December 6, 2022, related to the Extension of Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations</a> |
| 104         | Cover Page Interactive Data File - the cover page XBRL tags are embedded within the Inline XBRL document                                       |

**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.

BED BATH & BEYOND INC.

By: /s/ Laura Crossen

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Laura Crossen

Interim Chief Financial Officer

Date: December 6, 2022



**Bed Bath & Beyond Inc. Announces Extension of Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations  
for Certain of its Outstanding Debt Securities**

UNION, N.J., December 6, 2022 — Bed Bath & Beyond Inc. (NASDAQ: BBBY) today announced that it has further extended its previously announced offers to exchange (the “Exchange Offers”) any and all of its outstanding Senior Notes.

Today’s extension includes the offers to exchange:

- (i) 3.749% Senior Notes due 2024 (the “2024 Notes”) for new 3.693% Senior Second Lien Secured Non-Convertible Notes due 2027 (the “New Second Lien Non-Convertible Notes”) and/or new 8.821% Senior Second Lien Secured Convertible Notes due 2027 (the “New Second Lien Convertible Notes”), at the option of the holder of the 2024 Notes;
- (ii) 4.915% Senior Notes due 2034 (the “2034 Notes”) for new 12.000% Senior Third Lien Secured Convertible Notes due 2029 (the “New Third Lien Convertible Notes”) and, together with the New Second Lien Non-Convertible Notes and the New Second Lien Convertible Notes, the “New Notes”); and
- (iii) 5.165% Senior Notes due 2044 (the “2044 Notes”) and, collectively with the 2024 Notes and the 2034 Notes, the “Old Notes”) for New Third Lien Convertible Notes.

In connection with the Exchange Offers, the Company is also soliciting consents to amend the indenture governing the Old Notes (the “Consent Solicitations”).

Each of the Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations, which were previously scheduled to expire at 11:59 p.m., New York City time, on December 5, 2022, has been extended until 11:59 p.m., New York City time, on December 19, 2022 (as such time and date may be further extended, the “Expiration Time”). Tenders of Old Notes may be withdrawn at any time at or prior to the Expiration Time (the “Withdrawal Deadline”), but not thereafter, subject to limited exceptions and except as otherwise required by applicable law, unless extended.

Except for the extension of the Expiration Time and Withdrawal Deadline, all other terms of the Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations remain unchanged.

As of 11:59 p.m., New York City time, on December 5, 2022, which was the previous expiration time for the Exchange Offers, the principal amounts of Old Notes validly tendered and not validly withdrawn, as advised by Global Bondholder Services Corporation, the exchange agent for the exchange offers, are set forth in the table below:

| Title of Old Notes to be Tendered      | CUSIP<br>Number | Outstanding<br>Principal<br>Amount | Principal<br>Amount<br>Tendered | Approximate<br>Percentage<br>of Old Notes<br>Tendered |
|--|-----------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
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A Registration Statement on Form S-4, including a prospectus and consent solicitation statement forming a part thereof (the “Prospectus”), which is subject to change, relating to the issuance of the New Notes has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) (the “Registration Statement”), but has not yet become effective. The New Notes may not be sold nor may offers to buy be accepted prior to the time the Registration Statement becomes effective. If and when issued, the New Notes will be registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Copies of the Prospectus pursuant to which the Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations are being made may be obtained from Global Bondholder Services Corporation, the information agent and exchange agent for the Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations. Requests for documentation and questions regarding procedures for tendering the Old Notes can be directed to Global Bondholder Services Corporation at (855) 654-2015 (for information U.S. Toll-free) or (212) 430-3774 (information for brokers). Questions regarding the terms and conditions of the Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations should be directed to the dealer manager, Lazard Frères & Co. LLC, at (212) 632-6311.

The Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations are being made only by and pursuant to the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Prospectus, which forms a part of the Registration Statement, and the information in this press release is qualified by reference to such Prospectus and the Registration Statement.

This press release is for informational purposes only and is not an offer to buy or sell or the solicitation of an offer to sell with respect to any securities. The solicitation of offers to sell the New Notes or buy the Old Notes is only being made pursuant to the terms of the Exchange Offers. The Company is not making an offer of New Notes in any jurisdiction where the Exchange Offers are not permitted, and this press release does not constitute an offer to participate in the Exchange Offers to any person in any jurisdiction where it is unlawful to make such an offer or solicitations.

Holders of the Old Notes are urged to carefully read the Prospectus before making any decision with respect to the Exchange Offers and Consent Solicitations. None of the Company, the dealer manager, the trustee with respect to any series of Old Notes, the trustee with respect to any series of New Notes, the information agent and exchange agent for the Exchange Offers or any affiliate of any of them makes any recommendation as to whether holders of the Old Notes should exchange their Old Notes for New Notes in the Exchange Offers, and no one has been authorized by any of them to make such a recommendation.

Holders of the Old Notes must make their own decision as to whether to tender Old Notes and, if so, the principal amount of Old Notes to tender. This press release is for informational purposes only and does not constitute an offer to purchase or a solicitation of an offer to buy any securities, nor shall there be any sale of securities in any state or jurisdiction in which such offer or solicitation or sale would be unlawful.

#### **About the Company**

Bed Bath & Beyond Inc. and subsidiaries (the “Company”) is an omnichannel retailer that makes it easy for our customers to feel at home. The Company sells a wide assortment of merchandise in the Home, Baby, Beauty and Wellness markets. Additionally, the Company is a partner in a joint venture which operates retail stores in Mexico under the name Bed Bath & Beyond.

#### **Forward-Looking Statements**

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