

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): July 23, 2019

**KONTOOR BRANDS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

**North Carolina**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-38854**  
(Commission file number)

**83-2680248**  
(I.R.S. employer  
identification number)

**400 N. Elm Street**  
**Greensboro, North Carolina 27401**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**(336) 332-3400**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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))

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

Title of Each Class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of Each Exchange on which Registered
Common Stock, No Par Value	KTB	New York Stock Exchange

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.**

On July 23, 2019, Kontoor Brands, Inc. issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors declared a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.56 per share of its common stock, payable on September 20, 2019, to shareholders of record at the close of business on September 10, 2019. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

<b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
<a href="#"><u>99.1</u></a>	Press release issued by Kontoor Brands, Inc., dated July 23, 2019, announcing the quarterly dividend

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## **Kontoor Brands, Inc. Declares First Quarterly Dividend**

**GREENSBORO, N.C. - July 23, 2019** - Kontoor Brands, Inc. (NYSE: KTB) today announced that its Board of Directors has declared a regular quarterly cash dividend of \$0.56 per share of its common stock. The cash dividend will be payable on September 20, 2019, to shareholders of record at the close of business on September 10, 2019.

### **About Kontoor Brands**

Kontoor Brands, Inc. (NYSE: KTB) is a global lifestyle apparel company with a portfolio led by two of the world's most iconic consumer brands: *Wrangler*<sup>®</sup> and *Lee*<sup>®</sup>. Kontoor designs, manufactures and distributes superior high-quality products that look good and fit right, giving people around the world the freedom and confidence to express themselves. Kontoor Brands is a purpose-led organization focused on leveraging its global platform, strategic sourcing model and best-in-class supply chain to drive brand growth and deliver long-term value for its stakeholders.

For more information about Kontoor Brands, please visit [www.KontoorBrands.com](http://www.KontoorBrands.com).

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