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FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of June, 2017 Commission File Number 001-34175

Commission File Number 001-34175
ECOPETROL S.A.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)
N.A.
(Translation of registrant's name into English)
COLOMBIA
(Jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)
Carrera 13 No. 36 – 24 BOGOTA D.C. – COLOMBIA
(Address of principal executive offices)
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.
Form 20-F ⊠ Form 40-F □
Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1)
Yes □ No ⊠
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Yes □ No ⊠
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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.

Ecopetrol S.A.

By: /s/ María Fernanda Suárez
Name: María Fernanda Suárez
Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: June 28, 2017

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MATERIAL INFORMATION

S&P Raises Ecopetrol S.A.'s Stand-Alone Credit Rating and confirms its Investment Grade

Ecopetrol S.A (BVC: ECOPETROL; NYSE: EC) ("Ecopetrol" or the "Company") reports that the risk-rating agency Standard & Poor's (S&P) has increased the company's stand-alone credit rating from 'bb' to 'bb+', and maintained its long-term international rating at BBB and its prospects as negative, in line with those of the Republic of Colombia.

Ecopetrol's individual rating increased from 'bb' to 'bb +' thanks to the improvement in credit metrics and the expectation that this trend will continue over the next year. This is a reflection of the cost savings with structural efficiencies and the implemented strategy of profitable barrels.

In turn, S&P raised Ecopetrol's liquidity rating from adequate to strong, based on a lower cost structure

Bogota, June 27, 2017

This release contains statements that may be considered forward looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the U.S. Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the U.S. Securities Exchange Act of 1934. All forward-looking statements, whether made in this release or in future filings or press releases or orally, address matters that involve risks and uncertainties, including in respect of the Company's prospects for growth and its ongoing access to capital to fund the Company's business plan, among others. Consequently, changes in the following factors, among others, could cause actual results to differ materially from those included in the forward-looking statements: market prices of oil & gas, our exploration and production activities, market conditions, applicable regulations, the exchange rate, the Company's competitiveness and the performance of Colombia's economy and industry, to mention a few. We do not intend, and do not assume any obligation to update these forward-looking statements.

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