ACUITY BRANDS INC Form SC 13G/A December 08, 2016

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13G/A

(Rule 13d-102)

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1(b), (c), AND (d) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-2(c)

(AMENDMENT 3)

ACUITY BRANDS, INC.

(NAME OF ISSUER)

Common Stock (\$0.01 Par Value)

(Title of Class of Securities)

00508Y102

(CUSIP Number)

November 30,2016

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

| Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed: | | | | |
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| | | X Rule 13d-1 (b) Rule 13d-1 (c) Rule 13d-1 (d) | | |
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| 1. | Names of reporting persons JPMorgan Chase & Co. I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) | 13-2624428 | | |
| 2. | CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* | (a) (b) | | |
| 3. | SEC USE ONLY | | | |
| 4. | CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware | | | |
| NI) | IMBER OF 5. SOLE VOTING POWER | 1,848,190 | | |

| , | SHARES | | | |
|--------------|---|---------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| BENEFICIALLY | | 6. | SHARED VOTING POWER | 0 |
| OWNED BY | | | | |
| | EACH | 7. | SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER | 1,989,729 |
| RE | EPORTING | | | |
| PER | RSON WITH | 8. | SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER | 0 |
| 9. | AGGREGATE AM PERSON 1,989,729 | MOUNT I | BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EAC | H REPORTING |
| | | | | |
| 10. | CHECK BOX IF TO EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARE | | REGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) | |
| 11. | PERCENT OF CI 4.5% | ASS REI | PRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN RO | W (9) |
| 12. | TYPE OF REF | ORTING | PERSON* | НС |
| | Item 1(a). | Name | of Issuer: | |

Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

Item

1(b). 1170 Peachtree Street, N.E., Suite 2300 Atlanta, Georgia 30309-7676 Name of Person Filing: Item 2(a). JPMorgan Chase & Co. Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence: Item 2(b). 270 PARK AVE NEW YORK, NY 10017 Citizenship Item 2(c). Delaware Title of Class of Securities: Item 2(d).

| Common Stock (\$0.01 Par Value) | | | | |
|---|------------------|--|--|--|
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| Unless otherwise noted, security being re | eported is com | mon stock | | |
| | Item 2(e). | CUSIP Number: | | |
| 00508Y102 | | | | |
| Item 3 If this Sta | ntement is Filed | d Pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b) | | |
| Or (c), Check Whether the Person Filing | is a: | | | |
| | | (a) | | |
| Broker or dealer registered under Section | 15 of the Exc | hange Act; | | |
| Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the | Exchange Act | (b) ; | | |
| Insurance company as defined in Section | 3(a)(19) of the | (c) | | |
| Exchange Act; | | | | |
| | | (d) | | |
| Investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment | | | | |

| Company Act; | |
|--|--------------------|
| An investment adviser in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b) | (e) (1)(ii)(E); |
| | (f) |
| An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accorda | ance with |
| Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F); | |
| | (g) X |
| A parent holding company or control person in accordance | |
| | |
| Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G); | |
| | (h) |
| A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Fe | ederal |

| Deposit Insurance Act; |
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| (i) A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an |
| Investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment |
| Company act; |
| (j) |
| Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J). |
| If this statement is filed pursuant to $$\rm X$$ Rule 13d-1(b), check this box. |
| Page 2 of 3 pages Item Ownership 4. |

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and

Percentage of the class of securities of issuer identified in Item 1.

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

1,989,729

Including

O shares where there is a Right to Acquire.

(b) Percent of class:

4.5%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

| (i) | Sole power to vote or to direct the | 1,848,190 |
|-----|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| | vote: | |

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class. YES

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following.

(X)

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the

Security being reported on by the Parent Holding Company.

This notice is filed on behalf of JPMorgan Chase & Co. and its wholly

owned Subsidiary (ies),

JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association

J.P. Morgan Investment Management Inc.

JPMorgan Asset Management (UK) Limited

J.P. Morgan Securities LLC

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable

Item Certifications

10.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief,

the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held

for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: December 8,2016 JPMorgan Chase & Co.

By: /s/ Michael T. Lees

Michael T. Lees

Compliance

The original statement shall be signed by each person on whose behalf the statement

is filed or his authorized representative. If the statement is signed on behalf of a person by his authorized representative (other than an executive officer or general partner of the filing person), evidence of the representative's authority to sign on behalf of such person shall be filed with the statement, provided, however, that a power of attorney for this purpose which is already on file with the commission may be incorporated by reference. The name and any title of each person who signs the the statement shall be typed or printed beneath his signature.