# 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) November 16, 2016

ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc.				
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)			_	
	Delaware	0-53149	26-0734029	
	(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)	
850 Shades Creek Parkway, Birmingham, Alabama 35209			35209	
	(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)	
	(205) 949-0302			
	(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)			
_	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:				
	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)			
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	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 8.01 - Other Events

On November 16, 2016, ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. ("ServisFirst") announced that its Board of Directors declared a two-for-one split of ServisFirst's common stock to be effected in the form of a 100% stock dividend. On December 20, 2016, stockholders of record will receive a distribution of one additional share of ServisFirst common stock for each share of ServisFirst common stock owned as of the close of business on December 5, 2016. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

## <u>Item 9.01 – Financial Statements and Exhibits.</u>

- Not applicable
- Not applicable Not applicable (b)
- (c)
- (d) **Exhibits.** The following exhibits are included with this Current Report on Form 8-K:

### Exhibit No.

99.1 Press Release dated November 16, 2016.

# 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

SERVISFIRST BANCSHARES, INC.

/s/ Thomas A. Broughton, III Thomas A. Broughton, III Chief Executive Officer

Dated: November 21, 2016



#### SERVISFIRST BANCSHARES, INC. ANNOUNCES TWO-FOR-ONE STOCK SPLIT

**BIRMINGHAM, AL** (PR Newswire) – **November 16, 2016** – ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc., (NASDAQ: SFBS) ("ServisFirst"), the holding company for ServisFirst Bank, today announced that its Board of Directors declared a two-for-one common stock split in the form of a stock dividend. The stock dividend will be payable December 20, 2016 to stockholders of record as of December 5, 2016. Holders of ServisFirst's common stock as of the record date will receive one additional share for every share held on the record date of December 5, 2016.

As a result of the stock split, the total number of shares of common stock outstanding will increase from approximately 26.3 million to approximately 52.6 million. The additional shares of common stock are expected to be distributed on or about December 20, 2016 by ServisFirst's transfer agent, Computershare.

#### About ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc.

ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. is a bank holding company based in Birmingham, Alabama. Through its subsidiary, ServisFirst Bank, ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. provides business and personal financial services from locations in Birmingham, Huntsville, Mobile, Montgomery and Dothan, Alabama, Pensacola and Tampa Bay, Florida, Nashville, Tennessee, Atlanta, Georgia, and Charleston, South Carolina. ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. files periodic reports with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). Copies of its filings may be obtained through the SEC's website at <a href="https://www.sec.gov">www.sec.gov</a> or at <a href="https://www.

More information about ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. may be obtained over the Internet atwww.servisfirstbank.com or by calling (205) 949-0302.

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