

WESTERN ASSET PREMIER BOND FUND  
Form 8-K  
March 01, 2019

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**WASHINGTON, DC 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) March 1, 2019**

**Western Asset Premier Bond Fund**  
**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)**

**Massachusetts**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**  
**of Incorporation)**

**811-10603**

**36-3768815**

**(Commission  
File Number)**

**(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)**

**100 International Drive, Baltimore,  
MD**

**21202**

**(Address of Principal Executive  
Offices)**

**(Zip Code)**

**(888) 777-0102**

**(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)**

**(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 Instruction 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))

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 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

On March 1, 2019, Western Asset Premier Bond Fund (the Fund ) issued a press release, the text of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, announcing the appointment of Peter J. Taylor as a trustee of the Fund, effective March 1, 2019.

The information disclosed under this Item 7.01, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities under Section 18 and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing of the Fund under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

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

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of the Fund, dated March 1, 2019.

**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 authorized.

Western Asset Premier Bond Fund

Date: March 1, 2019

By: /s/ Thomas C. Mandia  
Name: Thomas C. Mandia  
Title: Assistant Secretary