

TRANSGLOBE ENERGY CORP  
Form 6-K  
December 23, 2016

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER TO RULE 13A or 15D-16  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the Month of: December, 2016

File No.: 001-31891

TransGlobe Energy Corporation

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(Translation of Registrant's Name into English)

#2300, 250 – 5 Street S.W., Calgary, AB T2P 0R4

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(Address of Principal Executive Office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20F or Form 40F

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Press Release – TRANSGLOBE ENERGY CORPORATION ANNOUNCES  
FILING OF A PRELIMINARY BASE SHELF PROSPECTUS

#### 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.

TransGlobe Energy Corporation  
(Registrant)

Date: December 23, 2016 By: Randy C. Neely  
Randy Neely  
Vice President Finance & CFO