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

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**  
**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)**  
**of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 17, 2020**

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**Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Republic of the Marshall Islands**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**001-33831**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**98-0453513**  
(IRS employer  
identification no.)

**300 First Stamford Place, 5th Floor**  
**Stamford, CT 06902**  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code): (203) 276-8100**

**(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report): None**

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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))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	EGLE	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC

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.

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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On December 17, 2020, Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. (the “Company”) entered into an equity commitment agreement (the “Agreement”) with GoldenTree Asset Management LP, on behalf of certain funds and accounts for which it serves as investment manager (“GoldenTree”), in connection with the Company’s registered underwritten public offering launched on December 17, 2020. Pursuant to the Agreement, GoldenTree has agreed to purchase shares of the Company’s common stock at a price per share of \$18.10, in an aggregate amount equal to shares that are not sold in the concurrent underwritten public offering, up to \$25,000,000. In consideration for providing this commitment, GoldenTree will receive an availability premium of \$0.85 per share for any shares of common stock that GoldenTree purchases.

***Forward-Looking Statements***

Matters discussed in this Current Report on Form 8-K may constitute forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements reflect management’s current expectations and observations with respect to future events and financial performance. Where the Company expresses an expectation or belief as to future events or results, such expectation or belief is expressed in good faith and believed to have a reasonable basis. However, the Company’s forward-looking statements are subject to risks, uncertainties, and other factors, which could cause actual results to differ materially from future results expressed, projected, or implied by those forward-looking statements. The Company’s actual results may differ materially from those anticipated in these forward-looking statements as a result of certain factors, including changes in the Company’s financial resources and operational capabilities and as a result of certain other factors listed from time to time in the Company’s filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company disclaims any intent or obligation to update publicly any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as may be required under applicable securities laws.

## 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 hereunto duly authorized.

**EAGLE BULK SHIPPING INC.**  
(registrant)

Dated: December 17, 2020

By: /s/ Frank De Costanzo

Name: Frank De Costanzo

Title: Chief Financial Officer