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Registration Statement Under the Securities Act of 1933	X	
Pre-Effective Amendment No.	o	
Post Effective Amendment No. 2,379		
and/or		
Registration Statement Under the Investment Company Act of 1940		
Amendment No. 2,383	X	

VANECK VECTORS ETF TRUST

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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Approximate Date of Proposed Public Offering: As soon as practicable after the effective date of this registration statement.

IT IS PROPOSED THAT THIS FILING WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE (CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX)

x Immediately upon filing pursuant to paragraph (b)

oOn [date] pursuant to paragraph (b)

o 60 days after filing pursuant to paragraph (a)(1)

oOn [date] pursuant to paragraph (a)(1)

o75 days after filing pursuant to paragraph (a)(2)

oOn [date] pursuant to paragraph (a)(2) of rule 485

IF APPROPRIATE, CHECK THE FOLLOWING BOX:

oThis post-effective amendment designates a new effective date for a previously filed post-effective amendment.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This filing relates solely to the following series of the Registrant: VanEck Vectors AMT-Free 6-8 Year Municipal Index ETF, VanEck Vectors AMT-Free 8-12 Year Municipal Index ETF and VanEck Vectors AMT-Free 12-17 Year Municipal Index ETF.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the Registrant certifies that it meets all of the requirements for effectiveness of this registration statement under Rule 485(b) under the Securities Act of 1933 and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of New York and State of New York on the 22nd day of August 2016.

VANECK VECTORS ETF TRUST

By: /s/ Jan F. van Eck Name: Jan F. van Eck

President and Title: Chief Executive

Officer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed below by the following person in the capacities and on the date indicated.

/s/ David H. Chow* David H. Chow	Trustee	August 22, 2016
/s/ R. Alastair Short* R. Alastair Short	Trustee	August 22, 2016
/s/ Peter J. Sidebottom* Peter J. Sidebottom	Trustee	August 22, 2016
/s/ Richard D. Stamberger* Richard D. Stamberger	Trustee	August 22, 2016
/s/ Jan F. van Eck Jan F. van Eck	President, Chief Executive Officer and Trustee	August 22, 2016
/s/ John J. Crimmins* John J. Crimmins	Treasurer, Chief Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer	August 22, 2016

*By: /s/ Jonathan R. Simon Jonathan R. Simon Attorney in Fact

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