

Acorn International, Inc.
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January 24, 2018

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington D.C. 20549

Form 6-K

**REPORT OF FOREIGN ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of January 2018

Commission File Number: 001-33429

Acorn International, Inc.

**19/F, 20th Building, 487 Tianlin Road
Shanghai, 200233**

People's Republic of China

(Address of principal executive office)

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

Acorn International, Inc.

By: /s/ Jacob A. Fisch
Name: Jacob A. Fisch
Title: President & Chief Executive Officer

Date: January 24, 2018