

GOLDEN STAR RESOURCES LTD.

Form 6-K

August 17, 2016

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER**

**PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16**

**UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**For the month of August 2016**

**Commission File Number 001-12284**

**GOLDEN STAR RESOURCES LTD.**

**(Translation of registrant's name into English)**

**150 King Street West**

**Suite 1200**

**Toronto, Ontario**

**M5H 1J9, Canada**

**(Address of principal executive office)**

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

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**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.

Date: August 17, 2016

**GOLDEN STAR RESOURCES LTD.**

By: /s/ André van Niekerk  
André van Niekerk

Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

**Exhibit No. Description of Exhibit**

99.1 Press Release dated August 17, 2016 - Golden Star Announces Repayment in Full of Ecobank Loan