TOWN SPORTS INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS INC Form SC 13D/A December 14, 2016

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

SCHEDULE 13D (Rule 13d-101)

# INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-2(a)

(Amendment No. 9)1

Town Sports International Holdings, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share (Title of Class of Securities)

89214A102

(CUSIP Number)

Patrick Walsh
PW Partners Atlas Funds, LLC
141 W. Jackson Blvd., Suite 1702
Chicago, Illinois 60604
(312) 347-1709
(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person
Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

December 12, 2016 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of This Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of §§ 240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box ".

Note: Schedules filed in paper format shall include a signed original and five copies of the schedule, including all exhibits. See § 240.13d-7 for other parties to whom copies are to be sent.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act

<sup>1</sup> The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON			
2	PW Partners Atlas Fund III LP CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (b) o SEC USE ONLY			
4	SOURCE OF FUNDS			
5	WC CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS '' IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)			
6	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION			
NUMBER OF SHARES	Delaware 7		SOLE VOTING POWER	
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	8		0 SHARED VOTING POWER	
REPORTING PERSON WITH	9		3,450,536 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
	10		0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWE	R
11	AGGREGATE A		3,450,536 EFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	REPORTING PERSON
12	3,450,536 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) o EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES			
13	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)			
14	13.5% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON			
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON			
2	PW Partners Atlas Funds, LLC CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (b) o SEC USE ONLY			
4	SOURCE OF FUNDS			
5	AF CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)			
6	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION			
NUMBER OF SHARES	Delaware	7	SOLE VOTING POWER	
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH		8	0 SHARED VOTING POWER	
REPORTING PERSON WITH		9	3,450,536 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
		10	0 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWE	R
11	AGGREGATE	AMOUNT BEN	3,450,536 EFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	REPORTING PERSON
12	3,450,536 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) o EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES			
13	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)			
14	13.5% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON			
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON			
2	PW Partners Capital Management LLC CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (b) o  SECURE ONLY			
3	SEC USE ONLY			
4	SOURCE OF FUNDS			
5	AF CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS " IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)			
6	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION			
	Delaware			
NUMBER OF		7	SOLE VOTING POWER	
SHARES BENEFICIALLY	•	0	0	
OWNED BY EACH		8	SHARED VOTING POWER	
REPORTING			3,450,536	
PERSON WITH		9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
			0	
		10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWE	R
			3,450,536	
11	AGGREGATI	E AMOUNT BEN	EFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	REPORTING PERSON
12	3,450,536 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) o EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES			
13	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)			
14	13.5% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON			
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON			
2	Patrick Walsh CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (b) o SEC USE ONLY			
4	SOURCE OF FUNDS			
5	PF, AF, OO CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS " IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)			
6	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION			
NUMBER OF SHARES	USA	7	SOLE VOTING POWER	
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH		8	999,294 SHARED VOTING POWER	
		9	3,450,536 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
		10	299,294 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWE	R
11	AGGREGATE	AMOUNT BEN	3,450,536 EFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH	REPORTING PERSON
12	4,449,830 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) o EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES			
13	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)			
14	17.4% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON			
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The following constitutes Amendment No. 9 to the Schedule 13D filed by the undersigned ("Amendment No. 9"). This Amendment No. 9 amends the Schedule 13D as specifically set forth herein.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.

Item 3 is hereby amended and restated to read as follows:

The Shares purchased by Atlas Fund III were purchased with working capital (which may, at any given time, include margin loans made by brokerage firms in the ordinary course of business).

The aggregate purchase price of the 3,450,536 Shares directly owned by Atlas Fund III is approximately \$16,470,098, excluding brokerage commissions.

Other than 929,344 Shares (including 700,000 unvested restricted Shares) awarded to Mr. Walsh in connection with his service as an officer and director of the Issuer, the Shares directly owned by Mr. Walsh were purchased with personal funds. The aggregate purchase price of the 69,950 Shares purchased by Mr. Walsh is approximately \$319,532, excluding brokerage commissions.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

Items 5(a) - 5(c) are hereby amended and restated to read as follows:

(a) The aggregate percentage of Shares reported owned by each person named herein is based upon 25,613,547 Shares outstanding as of October 24, 2016, which is the total number of Shares outstanding as reported in the Issuer's Form 10-Q filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 26, 2016.

As of the close of business on the date hereof, Atlas Fund III beneficially owned directly 3,450,536 Shares and Mr. Walsh beneficially owned directly 999,294 Shares (including 700,000 unvested restricted Shares), constituting approximately 13.5% and 3.9%, respectively, of the Shares outstanding.

Atlas Fund GP, as the general partner of Atlas Fund III, may be deemed to beneficially own the 3,450,536 Shares directly beneficially owned by Atlas Fund III, constituting approximately 13.5% of the Shares outstanding.

PW Capital Management, as the investment manager with respect to Atlas Fund III, may be deemed to beneficially own the 3,450,536 Shares directly beneficially owned by Atlas Fund III, constituting approximately 13.5% of the Shares outstanding.

Mr. Walsh, as the Managing Member and Chief Executive Officer of Atlas Fund GP and the Managing Member of PW Capital Management, may be deemed to beneficially own the 3,450,536 Shares beneficially owned by Atlas Fund GP and PW Capital Management, which, together with the Shares he directly beneficially owns, constitutes an aggregate of 4,449,830 Shares or approximately 17.4% of the Shares outstanding.

(b) Each of Atlas Fund III, Atlas Fund GP, PW Capital Management and Mr. Walsh have shared power to vote or direct the vote of, and to dispose or direct the disposition of, the Shares beneficially owned directly by Atlas Fund III

Mr. Walsh has the sole power to vote or direct the vote of, and to dispose or direct the disposition of, 299,294 Shares beneficially owned directly by him and the sole power to vote or direct the vote of an additional 700,000 unvested

restricted Shares beneficially owned directly by him.

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(c) Schedule A attached hereto reports all transactions in the securities of the Issuer by the Reporting Persons during the past 60 days that were effected in the open market. In addition, on December 12, 2016, Mr. Walsh received 500,000 restricted Shares in his capacity as an officer of the Issuer. These restricted Shares will vest in three equal annual installments commencing on December 12, 2017, the first anniversary of the grant date.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of its knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information with respect to it set forth in this statement is true, complete, and correct.

Dated: December 14, 2016

#### PW PARTNERS ATLAS FUND III LP

By: PW Partners Atlas Funds, LLC

General Partner

By: /s/ Patrick Walsh

Name: Patrick Walsh

Title: Managing Member and Chief

**Executive Officer** 

#### PW PARTNERS ATLAS FUNDS, LLC

By: /s/ Patrick Walsh

Name: Patrick Walsh

Title: Managing Member and Chief

**Executive Officer** 

#### PW PARTNERS CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC

By: /s/ Patrick Walsh

Name: Patrick Walsh
Title: Managing Member

/s/ Patrick Walsh PATRICK WALSH

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#### SCHEDULE A

#### OPEN MARKET TRANSACTIONS IN THE SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER DURING THE PAST SIXTY DAYS

Class of Security	Amount of Securities Purchased PW PARTNERS A	Price (\$) TLAS FUND III LP	Date of Purchase
Common Stock	110	2.3500	11/11/2016
Common Stock	42,985	2.3500	11/15/2016