

HARRAHS ENTERTAINMENT INC  
Form 8-K  
March 19, 2009

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

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

**March 19, 2009**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

**Harrah s Entertainment, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State of Incorporation)

**001-10410**  
(Commission File Number)

**62-1411755**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

**One Caesars Palace Drive**

**Las Vegas, Nevada 89109**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)  
**(702) 407-6000**

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

N/A

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(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 is pro forma financial information for the year ended December 31, 2008 of Harrah's Entertainment, Inc. ( Harrah's Entertainment ) and Harrah's Operating Company, Inc. ( HOC ), which gives pro forma effect to the acquisition of Harrah's Entertainment, which occurred on January 28, 2008, and related transactions as if they had occurred on January 1 of the year presented. The contents of Exhibit 99.1 are incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibits are being filed herewith:

99.1 Pro forma financial statements for Harrah's Entertainment and HOC for the year ended December 31, 2008.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

HARRAH S ENTERTAINMENT, INC.

Date: March 19, 2009

By: /s/ MICHAEL D. COHEN  
Michael D. Cohen

Vice President, Associate General Counsel

and Corporate Secretary

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

**Exhibit**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Document Description</b>
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