PINNACLE ENTERTAINMENT INC.

Form 8-K June 27, 2012

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): June 26, 2012

PINNACLE ENTERTAINMENT, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

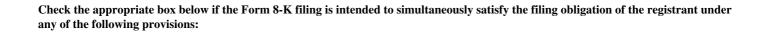
001-13641 (Commission 95-3667491 (IRS Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

8918 Spanish Ridge Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada
(Address of principal executive offices)
Registrant s Telephone Number, including area code: (702) 541-7777

N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)



- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On June 26, 2012, Pinnacle Entertainment, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing the closing of the disposition of the Company s Boomtown Reno casino resort operations. A copy of the press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated June 26, 2012, issued by Pinnacle Entertainment, Inc.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

PINNACLE ENTERTAINMENT, INC. (Registrant)

Date: June 27, 2012

By: /s/ John A. Godfrey

John A. Godfrey

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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