BOYD GAMING CORP Form 8-K March 09, 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

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): March 9, 2009

Boyd Gaming Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Nevada (State of Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 001-12882 (Commission File Number) 3883 Howard Hughes Parkway, Ninth Floor 88-0242733 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

Las Vegas, Nevada 89169

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code)

(702) 792-7200

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On March 9, 2009, Boyd Gaming Corporation issued a press release responding to a letter it received from the Board of Directors of Station Casinos, Inc. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release, dated March 9, 2009.

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.

Date: March 9, 2009 Boyd Gaming Corporation

/s/ Josh Hirsberg Josh Hirsberg

Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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