COCA COLA BOTTLING CO CONSOLIDATED /DE/ Form 8-K March 11, 2010

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, 2010

COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO. CONSOLIDATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-9286 56-0950585

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

4100 Coca-Cola Plaza, Charlotte, North Carolina 28211 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) (704) 557-4400

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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:

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

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On March 9, 2010, Coca-Cola Bottling Co. Consolidated (the Company) issued a news release announcing its financial results for the quarter and year ended January 3, 2010. A copy of the news release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 News release issued on March 9, 2010, reporting the Company s financial results for the quarter and year ended January 3, 2010.

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.

COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO.
CONSOLIDATED

(REGISTRANT)

Date: March 11, 2010 BY: /s/ James E. Harris

James E. Harris

Principal Financial Officer of the

Registrant

and

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

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