

STEAK & SHAKE CO  
Form 8-K  
February 21, 2008

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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): February 21, 2008

THE STEAK N SHAKE COMPANY  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| INDIANA<br>(State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation) | 0-8445<br>(Commission File<br>Number) | 37-0684070<br>(I.R.S. Employer<br>Identification No.) |
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| 36 S. Pennsylvania<br>Street, Suite 500<br>Indianapolis, Indiana<br>(Address of principal<br>executive offices) | 46204<br>(Zip Code) |
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Registrant's telephone  
number, including area  
code: (317) 633-4100

Not Applicable  
(Former name or  
former address, if  
changed since last  
report.)

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On February 21, 2008, The Steak n Shake Company (the "Company") issued a Press Release in regards to Special Committee of the Board of Directors and the Promotional . The Company's earnings release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and the information set forth therein is incorporated herein by reference and constitutes a part of this report.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

| ExhibitDescription |
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| No.                |

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| 99.1 | Press Release, dated February 21, 2008, issued by the Company |
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SIGNATURES

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 thereunto duly authorized.

THE STEAK N SHAKE COMPANY

By: /s/ Jeffrey A. Blade  
Jeffrey A. Blade,  
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial & Administrative Officer

Dated: February 21, 2008