

RED ROBIN GOURMET BURGERS INC
Form 8-K
January 04, 2011

**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): **January 4, 2011**

RED ROBIN GOURMET BURGERS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

0-49916
(Commission file number)

84-1573084
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification Number)

6312 S. Fiddler s Green Circle, Suite 200N
Greenwood Village, Colorado
(Address of principal executive offices)

80111
(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: **(303) 846-6000**

Not Applicable

(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))
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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

On January 4, 2011, Red Robin Gourmet Burgers, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release containing a letter to its shareholders from Pattye L. Moore, Chair of the Company's Board of Directors, and Stephen E. Carley, the Company's Chief Executive Officer (the Shareholder Letter). The Shareholder Letter was issued to, among other things, highlight certain actions undertaken by the Company in 2010 and provide a brief overview of the Company's strategic initiatives for 2011. A copy of this press release containing the Shareholder Letter is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference into this Item 7.01.

The information in this Form 8-K, including the information set forth in Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing.

ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

| Exhibit No. | Description |
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| 99.1 | Red Robin Gourmet Burgers, Inc. Press Release dated January 4, 2011. |

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: January 4, 2011

RED ROBIN GOURMET BURGERS, INC.

By: */s/ Annita M. Menogan*
Annita M. Menogan
Senior Vice President and Chief Legal Officer

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