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Form 8-K

September 23, 2014

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): September 22, 2014

Strategic Hotels & Resorts, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland

001-32223

33-1082757

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

200 West Madison Street, Suite 1700

Chicago, Illinois 60606

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (312) 658-5000

Not Applicable

(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 (see General Instruction A.2.):

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Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

Following Strategic Hotels & Resorts, Inc.'s (the "Company") investor conference on Monday, September 22, 2014, a member of the Company's senior management informed one of the conference participants that the Company was in the process of negotiating an extension of the employment agreement of Raymond Gellein, Jr., the Company's chief executive officer. Mr. Gellein's current employment agreement expires on December 31, 2014.

The information in Item 7.01 of this Current Report is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of such section. The information in Item 7.01 of this Current Report shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, regardless of any incorporation by reference language in any such filing.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

STRATEGIC HOTELS & RESORTS, INC.

September 23, 2014 By: /s/ Paula C. Maggio

Name: Paula C. Maggio

Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary