

HARLEY DAVIDSON INC  
Form 8-K  
April 23, 2009

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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Date of Report  
(Date of earliest  
event reported): April 20, 2009

Harley-Davidson, Inc.

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Wisconsin  

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(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

1-9183  

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(Commission File  
Number)

39-1382325  

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(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

3700 West Juneau Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53208

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(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(414) 342-4680

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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

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(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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On April 20, 2009, Ronald M. Hutchinson, Senior Vice President of Product Development for Harley-Davidson Motor Company (the Motor Company ), a subsidiary of Harley-Davidson, Inc., announced his intention to retire from the Motor Company. He will cease serving as a Motor Company officer effective May 1, 2009 but will continue his employment in other capacities until his August 28, 2009 retirement date.

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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.

**HARLEY-DAVIDSON, INC.**

Date: April 23, 2009

By: /s/ Tonit M. Calaway  
Tonit M. Calaway  
Assistant Secretary

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