MONARCH CASINO & RESORT INC
Form 8-K
February 23, 2017

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: February 22, 2017
(Date of earliest event reported)

Monarch Casino and Resort, Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)
NV
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation) 0-22088
(Commission File Number) 88-0300760
(IRS Employer
Identification Number)
3800 S. Virginia Street
(Address of principal executive offices) 89502
(Zip Code)
775-335-4600
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)
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:

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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 February 22, 2017, Monarch Casino & Resort, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended December 31, 2016. A copy of the press release is attached to this Current Report as Exhibit 99.1

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of Monarch Casino and Resort, Inc. dated February 22, 2017

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.

Dated: February 22, 2017
MONARCH CASINO AND RESORT, INC.

By: /s/ Edwin S. Koenig
Edwin S. Koenig
Chief Accounting Officer

Exhibit Index **Exhibit No.** **Description** 99.1 Press Release of Monarch Casino and Resort, Inc. dated February 22, 2017