PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC Form 8-K February 25, 2016

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Date of Report (I	Date of earliest event reported): Fel	oruary 24, 2016
PENN NA	ATIONAL GAMI	NG, INC.
	Commission file number 0-24206	
Incorporated Pursua	nt to the Laws of the Commonwea	lth of Pennsylvania

IRS Employer Identification No. 23-2234473

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On February 24, 2016, Penn National Gaming, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release providing an update with respect to its pending restatement and the anticipated timing of filing of its restated financial statements, as well as its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2015. A copy of the press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is incorporated in this Item 8.01 by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

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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.

Dated: February 24, 2016 PENN NATIONAL GAMING, INC.

By: /s/ Saul V. Reibstein Name: Saul V. Reibstein

Title: Executive Vice President, Finance

Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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