MORTONS RESTAURANT GROUP INC Form 8-K July 23, 2009

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 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): July 23, 2009

Morton s Restaurant Group, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

1-12692 (Commission File Number) 13-3490149 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

Identification No.)

325 North LaSalle Street, Suite 500

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Chicago, Illinois 60654

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (312) 923-0030

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Item 8.01. Other Events

On July 23, 2009, Morton s Restaurant Group, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing the settlement of certain wage and hour claims against the Company and certain of its subsidiaries. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated July 23, 2009.

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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.

Morton s Restaurant Group, Inc.

Date: July 23, 2009 By: /s/ Ronald M. DiNella

Ronald M. DiNella

Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer And Treasurer