

YUM BRANDS INC  
Form 8-K  
December 05, 2008

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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)  
December 4, 2008  
Commission file number 1-13163

YUM! BRANDS, INC.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

North Carolina  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation or organization)

13-3951308

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

1441 Gardiner Lane, Louisville,  
Kentucky  
(Address of principal executive offices)

40213  
(Zip Code)

code: Registrant's telephone number, including area  
(502) 874-8300

report: Former name or former address, if changed since last  
N/A

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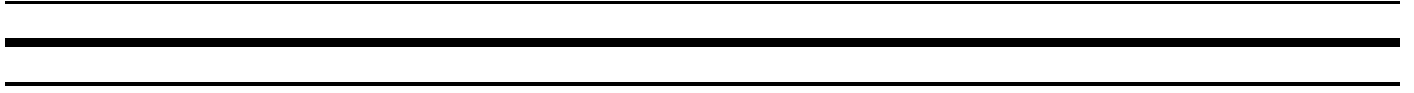
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Section 8 – Other Events

Item 8.01 Other Events

On December 4, 2008, Yum! Brands, Inc. issued a press release announcing its full-year 2009 expectations, fourth quarter sales trends and reaffirming its 2008 EPS growth forecast. That press release is attached as exhibit 99.1.

Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated December 4, 2008

Yum! Brands Announces Full-Year 2009 Expectations and Fourth Quarter Sales Trends; Reaffirms 2008 EPS Growth Forecast of 12%, excluding Special Items; Will Host Investor

Update Meeting December 10, 2008

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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.

YUM! BRANDS, INC.  
(Registrant)

Date: December 5, 2008

/s/ Ted F. Knopf  
Senior Vice President of Finance  
and Corporate Controller  
(Principal Accounting Officer)