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) January 25, 2013

HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC. HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc.)
Delaware (Host Hotels & Resorts, L.P.)
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-14625 0-25087 (Commission File Number) 53-0085950 52-2095412 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

6903 Rockledge Drive, Suite 1500 Bethesda, Maryland 20817 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(240) 744-1000 Registrant's telephone number, including area code

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.) $\,$

ck 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 visions (see General Instruction A.2. below):
Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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))

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On January 25, 2013, Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc. (the "Company"), the general partner of Host Hotels & Resorts, L.P., announced that Struan B. Robertson has been appointed as the Company's Executive Vice President, Chief Investment Officer.

A copy of the press release issued by the Company, dated January 25, 2013, announcing Mr. Robertson's appointment is attached to this Current Report on Form 8–K as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description 99.1 Host Hote

Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc. Press Release, dated January 25, 2013.

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.

Date: January 25, 2013

HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC. (Registrant)

By: /s/ Brian G. Macnamara

Brian G. Macnamara Senior Vice President and Corporate Controller

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.

Date: January 25, 2013

HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, L.P. (Registrant)

By: HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC.

Its General Partner

By: /s/ Brian G. Macnamara

Brian G. Macnamara

Senior Vice President and Corporate Controller

EXHIBIT INDEX

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NEWS RELEASE

HOST HOTELS & RESORTS, INC. NAMES STRUAN B. ROBERTSON EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, CHIEF INVESTMENT OFFICER

Bethesda, MD; January 25, 2013 - Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc. (NYSE:HST) today announces the appointment of Struan B. Robertson as executive vice president, chief investment officer.

Mr. Robertson will lead the company in its domestic and international acquisition efforts. He is based at Host's headquarters in Bethesda, Maryland, and reports to W. Edward Walter, president and chief executive officer.

Mr. Robertson brings more than 23 years of real estate investment banking experience to Host. Most recently, he was co-head of global real estate investment banking at Morgan Stanley where he co-managed global teams across as many as 14 offices in 13 countries. He was also involved with a variety of major hotel sector deals in the United States, Europe, the Middle East and Asia. Prior to this position, he was in various roles at Morgan Stanley including head of European principal investment and investment banking and prior to that head of Asian real estate investment banking based in Tokyo, Japan.

Additionally, Mr. Robertson is a founding member and former board member of the European Public Real Estate Association, a trustee of the Urban Land Institute, and a special advisor to the World Economic Forum for Real Estate.

"We are very excited to welcome Struan to our team. His extensive real estate knowledge and experience will be very valuable to Host as we continue to grow our high quality portfolio of hotels," said W. Edward Walter, president and chief executive officer.

ABOUT HOST HOTELS & RESORTS

Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc. is an S&P 500 and Fortune 500 company and is the largest lodging real estate investment trust and one of the largest owners of luxury and upper-upscale hotels. The Company currently owns 103 properties in the United States and 15 properties internationally totaling over 62,300 rooms. The Company also holds non-controlling interests in a joint venture in Europe that owns 19 hotels with over 6,100 rooms and a joint venture in Asia that owns one hotel with approximately 300 rooms in Australia and a minority interest in seven hotels with approximately 1,750 rooms in India, two of which recently opened in Bangalore and five that are in various stages of development in two cities. Guided by a disciplined approach to capital allocation and aggressive asset management, the Company partners with premium brands such as Marriott®, Ritz-Carlton®, Westin®, Sheraton®, W®, St. Regis®, Le Méridien®, The Luxury Collection®, Hyatt®, Fairmont®, Four Seasons®, Hilton®, Swissôtel®, ibis®, Pullman®, and Novotel®* in the operation of properties in over 50 major markets worldwide. For additional information, please visit the Company's website at www.hosthotels.com.

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