

GANNETT CO INC /DE/  
Form 8-K  
April 22, 2009

**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): April 21, 2009**

**GANNETT CO., INC.**

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**1-6961**  
(Commission File Number)

**16-0442930**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

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**7950 Jones Branch Drive**  
**McLean, Virginia**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**22107-0910**  
(Zip Code)

**(703) 854-6000**

**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:

- ..  Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- ..  Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

Attached and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit 99.1 is a copy of the press release of Gannett Co., Inc., dated April 22, 2009 announcing the extension of the early participation date of its previously announced private exchange offer.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Gannett press release announcing extension of the early participation date of private exchange offer.

**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 thereunder duly authorized.

GANNETT CO., INC.

By: /s/ Todd A. Mayman  
Todd A. Mayman

Vice President, Associate General

Counsel, Secretary and Chief

Governance Officer

Date: April 22, 2009

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| <b>Exhibit No.</b> | <b>Description</b>  |
|--------------------|---|
| 99.1               | Gannett press release announcing extension of the early participation date of private exchange offer. |