EMMIS COMMUNICATIONS CORP Form 8-K July 18, 2008

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): July 18, 2008 EMMIS COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) **INDIANA** (State of incorporation or organization) 0-23264 (Commission file number) 35-1542018 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) **ONE EMMIS PLAZA 40 MONUMENT CIRCLE SUITE 700 INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46204**

(Address of principal executive offices)

(317) 266-0100

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.01. Completion of Acquisition or Disposition

On May 2, 2008, Emmis Communications Corporation, through its subsidiaries, entered into a definitive agreement to sell the assets of television station WVUE(TV) (Ch. 8, Fox affiliate, New Orleans, LA) to Louisiana Media Company, LLC, which is principally owned by Tom Benson, owner of the New Orleans Saints for \$41 million. That transaction closed on July18, 2008.

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.

EMMIS COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION

Date: July 18, 2008

By: /s/ J. Scott Enright J. Scott Enright, Senior Vice President, Associate General Counsel and Secretary

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