COCA COLA BOTTLING CO CONSOLIDATED /DE/ Form 8-K March 09, 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): <u>March 5, 2009</u> COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO. CONSOLIDATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

#### 0-9286

56-0950585

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

4100 Coca-Cola Plaza, Charlotte, North Carolina 28211

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

<u>(704) 557-4400</u>

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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:

o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On March 5, 2009, Coca-Cola Bottling Co. Consolidated (the Company ) issued a news release announcing its financial results for the quarter and fiscal year ended December 28, 2008. A copy of the news release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 News release issued on March 5, 2009, reporting the Company s financial results for the quarter and fiscal year ended December 28, 2008.

**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.

# COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO. CONSOLIDATED (REGISTRANT)

Date: March 9, 2009

BY:

/s/ James E. Harris James E. Harris Principal Financial Officer of the Registrant and Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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