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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 8, 2013

ARK RESTAURANTS CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 1-09453 (Commission File Number) 13-3156768 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

85 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10003

(Address of principal executive offices, with zip code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (212) 206-8800

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:

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

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On February 8, 2013, ARK Restaurants Corp. issued a press release announcing that it had received an unsolicited proposal to purchase all of the capital stock of the Company from Landry s, Inc. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The actual press release is intended to be furnished under this Item 8.01 of Form 8-K and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act), or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press Release dated February 8, 2013 entitled Ark Restaurants Corp. Acknowledges Receipt of Unsolicited Proposal.

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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.

ARK RESTAURANTS CORP.

/s/ Michael Weinstein

By: Name: Michael Weinstein Title: Chief Executive Officer

Date: February 8, 2013

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