CHAMPIONSHIP LIQUIDATING TRUST Form 8-K February 23, 2009

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 23, 2009 (February 20, 2009)

CHAMPIONSHIP LIQUIDATING TRUST

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-13925* 20-6918418

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

4667 Austin Trace, Zionsville, IN 46077

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (317) 230-3947

Not Applicable

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

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- * Championship Liquidating Trust is the transferee of the assets and liabilities of Championship Auto Racing Teams, Inc. and files reports under Championship Auto Racing Teams, Inc. s former Securities and Exchange Commission File Number.

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Item 8.01 Other Events

On February 20, 2009, Championship Liquidating Trust (the Trust) announced that it will make a final liquidating distribution as soon practicable to the holders of its units of Beneficial Interests in the aggregate amount of \$441,544.02, in cash, which represents all remaining cash of the Trust, less final wind-up costs. In the final liquidating distribution, the Beneficial Interest holders will receive \$0.03 in cash for each unit of Beneficial Interest held of record at the close of business on December 31, 2005. In accordance with the terms of the Liquidating Trust Agreement, upon the completion of the final liquidating distribution, the Liquidating Trust s existence will terminate. The Trust will cease to be a reporting company under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The text of the press release announcing the final Liquidating Trust is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press Release dated February 20, 2009

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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.

CHAMPIONSHIP LIQUIDATING TRUST

(Registrant)

By: /s/Thomas L. Carter

Thomas L. Carter, Administrative

Trustee

Date: February 23, 2009

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99.1 Press Release, dated February 20, 2009 of the Liquidating Trust

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