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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

MANAGEMENT, L.P., 9 WEST 57TH STREET, 43RD

Person *

Civale Anthony

(Last)

FLOOR

C/O APOLLO

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

01/28/2008

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HARRAHS ENTERTAINMENT INC [N/A]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner _X_ Director Officer Other

(give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NYÂ 10019

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

4. 5. Ownership Conversion or Exercise Form of Price of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Derivative

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Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Amount or Number of Shares Security

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Civale Anthony

C/O APOLLO MANAGEMENT, L.P. 9 WEST 57TH STREET, 43RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NYÂ 10019

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Signatures

/s/ Anthony Civale 02/07/2008

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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Remarks:

1) Mr. Civale is associated with Apollo Management, L.P. and its affiliated investment managers, Management VI, L.P. ("Management VI"). Â Management VI is the co-manager of each of Co-Inve ("Co-Invest Series"), and Co-Invest Hamlet Holdings B, LLC ("Co-Invest B"), and is the manager Â L.P., the sole member of Apollo Hamlet Holdings B, LLC ("Apollo Hamlet B"). Â The managers Â Joshua Harris and Marc Rowan, each of whom is also a manager of Apollo Hamlet Holdings, I Hamlet, Apollo Hamlet B, Co-Invest Series and Co-Invest B each hold shares of the Non-Voting â and the Non-Voting Perpetual Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01, of Harrah's Entertainment, Inc. (the does not include any securities of the Issuer that may be deemed beneficially owned by Apollo Â Co-Invest Series, Co-Invest B or Management VI, and Mr. Civale disclaims beneficial ownership of report shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Civale is the beneficial owner of, or has any securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or fo

2) Exhibit List:

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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