NOBLE ROMANS INC Form SC 13D/A

December 07, 2015

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 7)*

Noble Roman's, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, no par value

(Title of Class of Securities)

655107100 (CUSIP Number)

Privet Fund LP Attn: Ryan Levenson 79 West Paces Ferry Road, Suite 200B Atlanta, GA 30305

With a copy to:

Rick Miller Bryan Cave LLP 1201 W. Peachtree St., 14th Floor Atlanta, GA 30309 Tel: (404) 572-6600

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

December 7, 2015

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition which is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(e), (f) or (g), check the following box .

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* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter

disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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⁽¹⁾ Calculated based on information included in the Form 10-Q filed by the Corporation for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2015, which reported that 20,742,660 shares of Common Stock were outstanding as of November 5, 2015.

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Reference is hereby made to the statement on Schedule 13D filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on June 23, 2014, as amended on August 4, 2014, as amended on January 7, 2015, as amended on April 10, 2015, as amended on May 13, 2015, and as amended on November 12, 2015 (the "Schedule 13D"), with respect to the Common Stock, no par value (the "Common Stock"), of Noble Roman's, Inc., an Indiana Corporation (the "Corporation" or "Issuer"). Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein are used as defined in the Schedule 13D. The Reporting Persons hereby amend and supplement the Schedule 13D as follows.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction.

Item 4 is hereby amended to add the following:

On December 7, 2015 the Reporting Persons delivered the letter attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 to the Board of Directors of the Issuer (the "Board"). The letter outlines the significant concerns of the Reporting Persons regarding the resignation of Jeffrey Gaither as a member the Board and the resulting composition thereof. Additionally, the Reporting Persons note that for the past two years, Issuer's management has failed to meet its own publicly announced targets, further contributing to the underperforming share price of the Common Stock. The Reporting Persons believe there is no case for the Issuer to remain independent and that if a fulsome strategic alternatives evaluation process were to be conducted, shareholders would receive a premium valuation for their shares. The Reporting Person continue their willingness to work with the Issuer's Board to improve all aspects of the Issuer and have requested the opportunity to engage with the independent directors on these issues in the hopes of coming to a satisfactory resolution for the benefit of all shareholders.

Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits.

Item 7 is hereby amended to add the following exhibit:

99.1 Letter to the Board of Directors of the Issuer.

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Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

PRIVET FUND LP

By: Privet Fund Management LLC, Its Managing Partner

By: /s/ Ryan Levenson Name: Ryan Levenson Its: Sole Manager

Date: December 7, 2015

PRIVET FUND MANAGEMENT LLC

By: <u>/s/ Ryan Levenson</u> Name: Ryan Levenson Its: Sole Manager

/s/ Ryan Levenson
Ryan Levenson