MEXICAN RESTAURANTS INC Form 8-K July 30, 2007

# 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): July 25, 2007

### MEXICAN RESTAURANTS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Texas 000-28234 76-0493269
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

### 1135 EDGEBROOK, HOUSTON, TEXAS 77034-1899

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code): (713) 943-7574

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

# Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(b) On July 25, 2007 Dennis D. Vegas announced that he is stepping down as Senior Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer of Mexican Restaurants, Inc. to pursue other interests. Mr. Vegas' resignation is effective on July 31, 2007.

A copy of the press release describing these management changes is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

The following is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K:

99.1 Mexican Restaurants, Inc. press release dated July 27, 2007.

### **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.

MEXICAN RESTAURANTS, INC.

Date: July 30, 2007 By: /s/ Andrew J. Dennard

Name: Andrew J. Dennard

Title: Executive Vice President, Chief

Financial

Officer, Treasurer and Corporate

Secretary

### INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Mexican Restaurants, Inc. press release dated July 27, 2007