PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC Form 8-K May 01, 2003

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 May 1, 2003

(Date of earliest event reported)

PENN NATIONAL GAMING, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania	0-24206	23-2234473
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification Number)
825 Berkshire Blvd., Suite	200, Wyomissing Professional Center, Wyomiss	ing, PA 19610
	(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)
	Area Code (610) 373-2400	
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(Registrant s telephone number)

Item 7.	n 7. <u>Financial Statements and Exhibits.</u>		
(c)	Exhibits		
	Exhibit No.	Description	
	99.1	Press Release issued May 1, 2003	
Item 9.	Regulation FD Disclosu	<u>re</u> .	
in accordan purposes of	ce with SEC Release No. 33 Section 18 of the Securities	9. Regulation FD Disclosure is provided under Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition -8216. The information in this Form 8-K and the Exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed filed for Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of rth by specific reference in such filing.	
	2003, Penn National Gaming tached as Exhibit 99.1.	g, Inc. issued a press release announcing financial results for first quarter 2003. A copy of the press	
		<u>SIGNATURES</u>	
	ant to requirements of the Second, thereunto duly authorized.	curities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the	

Penn National Gaming, Inc.

Dated: May 1, 2003

By: /s/ Robert S. Ippolito

Robert S. Ippolito

Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer

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