

**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): January 6, 2012

Icahn Enterprises L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	1-9516 (Commission File Number)	13-3398766 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
767 Fifth Avenue, Suite 4700, New York, NY (Address of Principal Executive Offices)		10153 (Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: **(212) 702-4300**

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

On January 6, 2012, Icahn Enterprises L.P. (“Icahn Enterprises”) issued a press release announcing that it, together with Icahn Enterprises Finance Corp., intends to commence a tack-on offering of an additional \$350 million aggregate principal amount of its 8% Senior Notes due 2018 (the “Additional 2018 Notes”) for issuance in a private placement not registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The proceeds from the offering will be used for general corporate purposes. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

In connection with the offering of the Additional 2018 Notes, Icahn Enterprises disclosed certain information to prospective investors in a preliminary offering memorandum dated January 6, 2012 (the “Offering Memorandum”). Pursuant to Regulation FD, Icahn Enterprises is furnishing as Exhibits 99.2 the section captioned “Summary Consolidated Historical Financial Data” set forth in the Offering Memorandum.

In addition, Icahn Enterprises disclosed in the Offering Memorandum and in certain investor presentations that the various private investment funds, including Icahn Partners LP, Icahn Partners Master Fund LP, Icahn Partners Master Fund II LP and Icahn Partners Master Fund III LP (the “Funds”), through which Icahn Enterprises’ invests its proprietary capital within its Investment segment, had gross returns of approximately 34.7% for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011 and had assets under management of \$6.5 billion as of December 31, 2011, \$3.1 billion of which represents Icahn Enterprises’ investment. In addition, Icahn Enterprises disclosed that since their inception in November 2004 through December 31, 2011, the Funds have experienced an annualized rate of return of approximately 19%.

The information contained in Exhibit 99.2 is being furnished and shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. In addition, the information contained in Exhibit 99.2 shall not be incorporated by reference into any of Icahn Enterprises’ filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission or any other document except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing or document.

This Current Report on Form 8-K is neither an offer to sell nor a solicitation of an offer to buy any securities of Icahn Enterprises.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 – Press Release dated January 6, 2012.

99.2 – Information contained under the caption “Summary Consolidated Historical Financial Data” in the Offering Memorandum.

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.

ICAHN ENTERPRISES L.P.
(Registrant)

By: Icahn Enterprises G.P. Inc.
its General Partner

By: /s/ Dominick Ragone
Dominick Ragone
Chief Financial Officer

Date: January 6, 2012

Icahn Enterprises L.P. Intends to Offer New Senior Debt

(New York, New York, January 6, 2012) – Icahn Enterprises L.P. (NASDAQ: IEP) – Icahn Enterprises L.P. announced today that it, together with Icahn Enterprises Finance Corp., intends to commence a tack-on offering of an additional \$350 million aggregate principal amount of its 8% Senior Notes due 2018 for issuance in a private placement not registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The proceeds from the offering will be used for general corporate purposes. There can be no assurance that the issuance and sale of any debt securities will be consummated.

This press release is being issued pursuant to and in accordance with Rule 135c under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. This press release shall not constitute an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy any of the debt securities. Any debt securities may not be offered or sold in the United States absent registration or an applicable exemption from registration requirements.

About Icahn Enterprises L.P.

Icahn Enterprises L.P. (NASDAQ: IEP), a master limited partnership, is a diversified holding company engaged in eight primary business segments: Investment, Automotive, Gaming, Railcar, Food Packaging, Metals, Real Estate and Home Fashion.

Caution Concerning Forward-Looking Statements

Results for any interim period are not necessarily indicative of results for any full fiscal period. This release contains certain "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, many of which are beyond our ability to control or predict. Forward-looking statements may be identified by words such as "expects," "anticipates," "intends," "plans," "believes," "seeks," "estimates," "will" or words of similar meaning and include, but are not limited to, statements about the expected future business and financial performance of Icahn Enterprises L.P. and its subsidiaries. Among these risks and uncertainties are risks related to economic downturns, substantial competition and rising operating costs; risks related to our investment activities, including the nature of the investments made by the private funds in which we invest, losses in the private funds and loss of key employees; risks related to our automotive activities, including exposure to adverse conditions in the automotive industry, and risks related to operations in foreign countries; risk related to our gaming operations, including reductions in discretionary spending due to a downturn in the local, regional or national economy, intense competition in the gaming industry from present and emerging internet online markets and extensive regulation; risks related to our railcar activities, including reliance upon a small number of customers that represent a large percentage of revenues and backlog, the health of and prospects for the overall railcar industry and the cyclical nature of the railcar manufacturing business; risks related to our food packaging activities, including competition from better capitalized competitors, inability of its suppliers to timely deliver raw materials, and the failure to effectively respond to industry changes in casings technology; risks related to our scrap metals activities, including potential environmental exposure; risks related to our real estate activities, including the extent of any tenant bankruptcies and insolvencies; risks related to our home fashion operations, including changes in the availability and price of raw materials, and changes in transportation costs and delivery times; and other risks and uncertainties detailed from time to time in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Past performance in our Investment segment is not necessarily indicative of future performance. We undertake no obligation to publicly update or review any forward-looking information, whether as a result of new information, future developments or otherwise.

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Summary Consolidated Historical Financial Data

The following table sets forth our summary consolidated historical financial data for fiscal years ended December 31, 2008, 2009 and 2010, and for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 and 2011. The summary consolidated historical financial data set forth below should be read in conjunction with our consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto and the "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" contained in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 and our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2011.

The summary consolidated historical financial data for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2008, 2009 and 2010 has been derived from our audited consolidated historical financial statements, which have been audited by Grant Thornton LLP. The summary consolidated unaudited historical financial data as of September 30, 2011 and for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 and 2011 has been derived from our consolidated unaudited historical financial statements which, in the opinion of management, include all adjustments, including usual recurring adjustments, necessary for the fair presentation of that information for such periods. The financial data presented for the interim periods is not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for the full year.

The "as adjusted" balance sheet data set forth below gives effect to the expected proceeds from the rights offering assuming full participation and the offering of the Notes as if it had occurred on September 30, 2011.

Operating and Other Financial Data:

	Year Ended December 31,			Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2008	2009	2010	2010	2011
(in millions, except per unit data)					
Consolidated revenues:					
Investment	\$ (2,783)	\$ 1,596	\$ 912	\$ 688	\$ 1,213
Automotive ⁽¹⁾	5,727	5,397	6,239	4,644	5,273
Gaming	—	—	78	—	478
Railcar	821	444	270	175	319
Food Packaging	290	296	317	240	255
Metals	1,243	384	725	550	839
Real Estate	103	96	90	69	73
Home Fashion	438	382	431	308	263
Holding Company	299	10	57	(43)	22
	<u>\$ 6,138</u>	<u>\$ 8,605</u>	<u>\$ 9,119</u>	<u>\$ 6,631</u>	<u>\$ 8,735</u>
Adjusted EBITDA before non-controlling interests⁽⁵⁾:					
Investment	\$ (2,837)	\$ 1,453	\$ 823	\$ 624	\$ 1,123
Automotive ⁽¹⁾	635	509	680	505	549
Gaming	—	—	6	—	65
Railcar	90	66	3	3	31
Food Packaging	37	55	50	40	40
Metals	122	(23)	24	20	29
Real Estate	35	49	40	29	37
Home Fashion	(35)	(20)	(32)	(20)	(16)
Holding Company	119	(12)	69	(17)	8
	<u>\$ (1,834)</u>	<u>\$ 2,077</u>	<u>\$ 1,663</u>	<u>\$ 1,184</u>	<u>\$ 1,866</u>
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Icahn Enterprises⁽⁵⁾:					
Investment	\$ (334)	\$ 469	\$ 342	\$ 259	\$ 528
Automotive ⁽¹⁾	478	376	514	379	413
Gaming	—	—	1	—	31
Railcar	50	36	2	2	16
Food Packaging	30	40	37	29	29
Metals	122	(23)	24	20	29
Real Estate	35	49	40	29	37
Home Fashion	(22)	(13)	(23)	(13)	(11)
Holding Company	119	(12)	17	(17)	8
	<u>\$ 478</u>	<u>\$ 922</u>	<u>\$ 954</u>	<u>\$ 688</u>	<u>\$ 1,080</u>
Other financial data:					
Capital expenditures	\$ 858	\$ 230	\$ 422	\$ 309	\$ 359
Cash distributions declared per LP unit	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.75	0.45

Balance Sheet Data:

	As of September 30, 2011	
	Actual	As Adjusted ⁽²⁾
	(in millions, except ratios)	
Liquid assets:		
Holding Company cash & cash equivalents ⁽³⁾	\$ 603	\$ 1,450
Holding Company interests in Funds	2,831	2,831
Holding Company liquid assets	\$ 3,434	\$ 4,281
Total consolidated assets	\$ 22,478	\$ 23,325
Total Holding Company debt	3,123	3,473
Total debt	6,489	6,839
Equity:		
Attributable to Icahn Enterprises	3,631	4,131
Attributable non-controlling interests	3,771	3,771
Total equity	\$ 7,402	\$ 7,902
Ratios:		
Holding Company asset value ⁽⁴⁾ to Holding Company debt	2.1x	2.2x
Holding Company asset value ⁽⁴⁾ (net of cash and cash equivalents) to Holding Company net debt	2.4x	3.0x
Holding Company liquid assets to Holding Company debt	1.1x	1.2x

(1) Automotive segment results for 2008 are for the periods commencing March 1, 2008.

(2) "As adjusted" balance sheet data gives effect to the expected proceeds from the rights offering assuming full participation and the offering of the Notes as if they had occurred on September 30, 2011.

(3) Includes Holding Company liquid investments (excluding our interest in the Funds) of \$164 million.

(4) See page 4 of this offering memorandum for the calculation of Holding Company asset value. Certain asset values of our publicly traded companies for purpose of the ratios are as of September 30, 2011.

(5) EBITDA represents earnings before interest expense, income tax (benefit) expense and depreciation and amortization. We define Adjusted EBITDA as EBITDA excluding the effects of impairment, restructuring costs, certain non-cash pension plan expenses, OPEB curtailment gains, purchase accounting inventory adjustments, discontinued operations and gains/losses on extinguishment of debt. We present EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA on a consolidated basis, net of the effect of non-controlling interests. We conduct substantially all of our operations through subsidiaries. The operating results of our subsidiaries may not be sufficient to make distributions to us. In addition, our subsidiaries are not obligated to make funds available to us for payment of our indebtedness, payment of distributions on our depositary units or otherwise, and distributions and intercompany transfers from our subsidiaries to us may be restricted by applicable law or covenants contained in debt agreements and other agreements to which these subsidiaries currently may be subject or into which they may enter into in the future. The terms of any borrowings of our subsidiaries or other entities in which we own equity may restrict dividends, distributions or loans to us.

We believe that providing EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA to investors has economic substance as these measures provide important supplemental information of our performance to investors and permits investors and management to evaluate the core operating performance of our business without regard to interest, taxes and depreciation and amortization and the effects of impairment, restructuring costs, certain non-cash pension plan expenses, OPEB curtailment gains, purchase accounting inventory adjustments, discontinued operations and gains/losses on extinguishment of debt. Additionally, we believe this information is frequently used by securities analysts, investors and other interested parties in the evaluation of companies that have issued debt. Management uses, and believes that investors benefit from referring to these non-GAAP financial measures in assessing our operating results, as well as in planning, forecasting and analyzing future periods. Adjusting earnings for these charges allows investors to evaluate our performance from period to period, as well as our peers, without the effects of certain items that may vary depending on accounting methods and the book value of assets. Additionally, EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA present meaningful measures of corporate performance exclusive of our capital structure and the method by which assets were acquired and financed.

EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA have limitations as analytical tools, and you should not consider them in isolation, or as substitutes for analysis of our results as reported under U.S. GAAP. For example, EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA:

- do not reflect our cash expenditures, or future requirements for capital expenditures, or contractual commitments;
- do not reflect changes in, or cash requirements for, our working capital needs; and

- do not reflect the significant interest expense, or the cash requirements necessary to service interest or principal payments on our debt.

Although depreciation and amortization are non-cash charges, the assets being depreciated or amortized often will have to be replaced in the future, and EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA do not reflect any cash requirements for such replacements. Other companies in the industries in which we operate may calculate EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA differently than we do, limiting their usefulness as comparative measures. In addition, EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA do not reflect the impact of earnings or charges resulting from matters we consider not to be indicative of our ongoing operations.

EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are not measurements of our financial performance under U.S. GAAP and should not be considered as alternatives to net income or any other performance measures derived in accordance with U.S. GAAP or as alternatives to cash flow from operating activities as a measure of our liquidity. Given these limitations, we rely primarily on our U.S. GAAP results and use EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA only supplementally in measuring our financial performance.

The following table reconciles, on a basis attributable to Icahn Enterprises, net income attributable to Icahn Enterprises to EBITDA and EBITDA to Adjusted EBITDA for the periods indicated:

	Year Ended December 31,			Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2008	2009	2010	2010	2011
	(in millions)				
Attributable to Icahn Enterprises:					
Net (loss) income	\$ (26)	\$ 253	\$ 199	\$ 117	\$ 490
Interest expense	295	268	338	249	282
Income tax expense (benefit)	327	(40)	11	19	45
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	270	317	328	239	226
EBITDA attributable to Icahn Enterprises	\$ 866	\$ 798	\$ 876	\$ 624	\$ 1,043
Impairment of assets	\$ 337	\$ 34	\$ 8	\$ 9	\$ 2
Restructuring charges	117	37	12	10	6
Purchase accounting inventory adjustment	54	—	—	—	—
Expenses associated with U.S. based funded pension plans	3	50	40	29	25
OPEB curtailment gains	—	—	(22)	(21)	—
Discontinued operations	(753)	(1)	—	—	—
Net (gain) loss on extinguishment of debt	(146)	4	40	40	—
Other	—	—	—	(3)	4
Adjusted EBITDA attributable to Icahn Enterprises	\$ 478	\$ 922	\$ 954	\$ 688	\$ 1,080