

SOHU COM INC
Form 8-K
December 15, 2011

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): December 15, 2011

SOHU.COM INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction)

(Of incorporation)

0-30961
(Commission)

(File Number)

98-0204667
(I.R.S. Employer)

(Identification No.)

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(Address, including zip code, of registrant's principal executive offices

and registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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

Item 8.01 Other Events.

Completion of Sale of 17173 Business to Changyou.com

On December 15, 2011, the registrant (Sohu) completed its previously announced sale of the business of 17173.com, a leading game information portal in China (the 17173 Business), to Changyou.com Limited, an indirect majority-owned subsidiary of the registrant (Changyou).

The sale was made pursuant to a Master Transaction Agreement (the Transaction Agreement), dated as of November 29, 2011, between, on the one hand, Sohu and certain of its subsidiaries and variable interest entities as Sellers, and, on the other hand, Changyou and certain of its subsidiaries and variable interest entities as Buyers. A brief description of the terms and conditions of the Transaction Agreement may be found in the registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC on December 1, 2011, which description is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Transaction Agreement filed as Exhibit 10.1 thereto.

SIGNATURE

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.

DATED: December 15, 2011

SOHU.COM INC.

By: /s/ Carol Yu
Carol Yu
Co-President and Chief Financial Officer