

BOYD GAMING CORP  
Form 8-K  
July 18, 2002

**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: July 17, 2002

**BOYD GAMING CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Nevada

(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation or Organization)

1-12168

(Commission File Number)

88-0242733

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

2950 Industrial Road

Las Vegas, Nevada 89109

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(702) 792-7200

(Registrant's telephone number,  
including area code)

**Item 5. Other Events.**

The information set forth in the Registrant's press release dated July 17, 2002 is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

- (a) Not applicable.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (c) Exhibits

99.1 Text of Press Release dated July 17, 2002.

**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.

**BOYD GAMING CORPORATION**

Date: July 17, 2002

/s/ Ellis Landau

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Ellis Landau  
Executive Vice President, Chief Financial  
Officer and Treasurer

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**Exhibit**

**Description**

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