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ITEM 7.01. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On April 17, 2008 LaSalle Hotel Properties issued a press release announcing a joint venture formation with LaSalle Investment Management. A copy of such press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

The information in Item 7.01 of this report, including the information in the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report, is furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 of Form 8-K and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. Furthermore, the information in Item 7.01 of this report, including the information in the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report, shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference in the filings of the registrant under the Securities Act of 1933.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. -----	Description -----
99.1	Press release, dated April 17, 2008 issued by LaSalle Hotel Properties, announcing a joint venture formation with LaSalle Investment Management.

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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.

LASALLE HOTEL PROPERTIES

Dated: April 17, 2008

BY: /s/ HANS S. WEGER

Hans S. Weger
Executive Vice President,
Treasurer and
Chief Financial Officer

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