
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):
July 30, 2026

CANNAE HOLDINGS, INC.
(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

1-38300
(Commission File Number)

Nevada
(State or Other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation or Organization)

82-1273460
(IRS Employer Identification Number)

1701 Village Center Circle
Las Vegas, Nevada 89134
(Addresses of Principal Executive Offices)

(702) 323-7330
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

N/A
(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:

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- ☐ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- ☐ 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))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

<u>Title of Each Class</u>	<u>Trading Symbol</u>	<u>Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered</u>
Cannae Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value	CNNE	New York Stock Exchange

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company ☐

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. ☐

Item 8.01 Other Events

On July 30, 2026, Cannae Holdings, Inc. sold all of its interest in Watkins Holdings, LLC for cash proceeds of \$90 million and on July 31, 2026 issued a press release announcing the sale. The full text of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit	Description
99.1	Press Release
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File - the cover page XBRL tags are embedded within the Inline XBRL document.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

Cannae Holdings, Inc.

Date: July 31, 2026

By: /s/ Brett A. Correia

Name: Brett A. Correia

Title: Chief Financial Officer

Cannae Holdings, Inc. Sells its Ownership Interest in The Watkins Company to KDSA Investment Partners

*~ Sale Represents Another Step in Cannae's Portfolio Transformation
and Capital Redeployment Strategy ~*

LAS VEGAS, July 31, 2026 – Cannae Holdings, Inc. (NYSE: CNNE) ("Cannae" or the "Company") today announces the sale of its ownership stake in The Watkins Company ("Watkins"), a leading flavoring company focused on extracts, spices and seasonings, to KDSA Investment Partners ("KDSA").

Cannae invested \$80 million in Watkins in October 2024 and including transaction sale proceeds, preferred dividends and fees received during Cannae's ownership, the transaction represents a multiple on invested capital of approximately 1.2x in less than two years, at an IRR of nearly 10%.

Douglas K. Ammerman, Chairman of Cannae Holdings, commented, "The sale of our investment in Watkins is another step in executing the portfolio transformation strategy laid out by our Board. The transaction monetizes a non-core asset and provides Cannae with additional capital for either future investment opportunities or capital returns to our shareholders."

Ryan R. Caswell, Cannae's Chief Executive Officer, commented, "We are grateful to the management team and employees of Watkins, as well as KDSA, Mark Jacobs and JR Rigley, for their partnership over the last two years. We are proud of what Watkins accomplished during our ownership and we wish the entire Watkins team continued success in the future."

Cannae will continue to execute on its strategic priorities including transforming its portfolio to concentrate on sports and entertainment related assets, monetizing non-core assets and either redeploying capital into new investments or returning capital to shareholders, with the goal of maximizing long-term shareholder value.

About Cannae Holdings, Inc.

We primarily acquire interests in operating companies and are actively engaged in managing and operating a core group of those companies. We believe that our long-term ownership and active involvement in the management and operations of companies helps maximize the value of those businesses for our shareholders. We are a long-term owner that secures control and governance rights of other companies primarily to engage in their lines of business, and we have no preset time constraints dictating when we sell or dispose of our businesses. For more information, see cannaeholdings.com.

Forward-Looking Statements and Risk Factors

This communication includes forward-looking statements within the meaning of the "safe harbor" provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements are not historical facts, but instead represent only our beliefs regarding future events, many of which, by their nature, are inherently uncertain and outside of our control. Forward-looking statements include statements about our business, strategic plans, future performance, return of capital, and the impact

of our actions on shareholder value, and commitments outlined in this communication or elsewhere. These statements can be identified by words such as “anticipates,” “intends,” “plans,” “seeks,” “believes,” “estimates,” “expects,” and similar references to future periods, or by the inclusion of forecasts or projections. We caution readers not to place undue reliance on forward-looking statements. We expect that certain disclosures made in this communication may be updated or revised in the future as the quality and completeness of our data and methodologies continue to improve. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from expectations are described under the heading “Risk Factors” in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and in other filings we make with the SEC. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made, and we undertake no obligation to update publicly or otherwise revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events, or other factors, except where we are expressly required to do so by law.

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