IRSA INVESTMENTS & REPRESENTATIONS INC Form 6-K December 15, 2011

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15b-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of December, 2011

Irsa Inversiones y Representaciones Sociedad Anónima

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Irsa Investments and Representations Inc.

(Translation of registrant s name into English)

Republic of Argentina

(Jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

Bolívar 108

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Buenos Aires, Argentina

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes " No x

IRSA INVERSIONES Y REPRESENTACIONES SOCIEDAD ANÓNIMA

(THE COMPANY)

REPORT ON FORM 6-K

Attached is an English translation of the letter dated December 13, 2011 filed by the Company with the *Comisión Nacional de Valores* and the *Bolsa de Comercio de Buenos Aires*:

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By letter dated December 13, 2011, the Company reported that it has indirectly acquired 49% (forty-nine per cent) of the share capital of Bitania 26 S.A., a corporation which owns the hotel Esplendor Savoy in the city of Rosario.

The transaction amount was set up at \$21,390,000 (twenty one million three hundred ninety thousand Pesos).

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the city of Buenos Aires, Argentina.

IRSA Inversiones y Representaciones Sociedad Anónima

By: /S/ Saúl Zang Name: Saúl Zang

Title: Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors

Dated: December 15, 2011.